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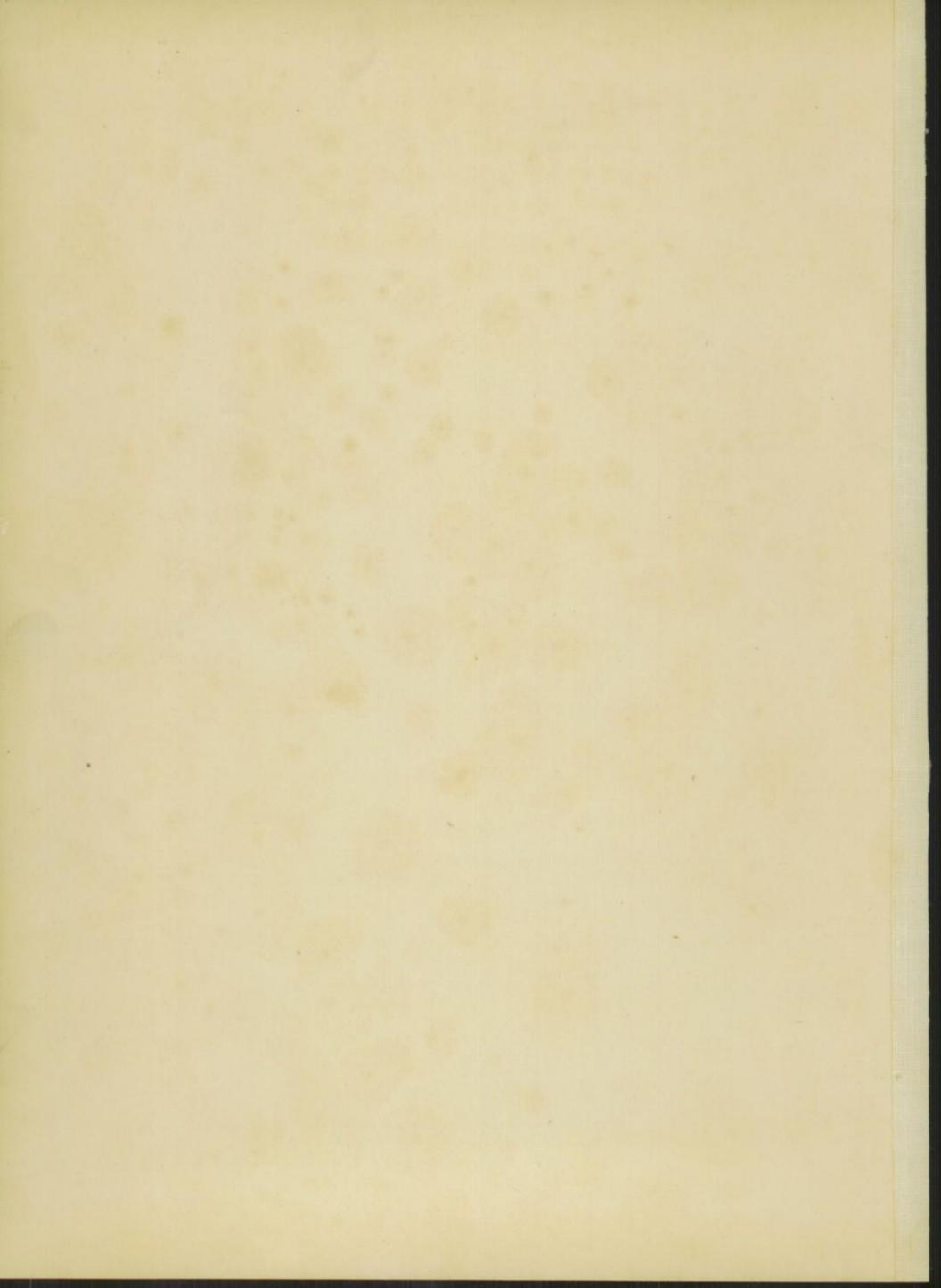
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"O Freedom! if to me belong

Nor mighty Milton's gift divine

Nor Marvell's wit and graceful song,

Still with a love as deep and strong

As theirs, I lay, like them, my best gifts on thy shrine!"



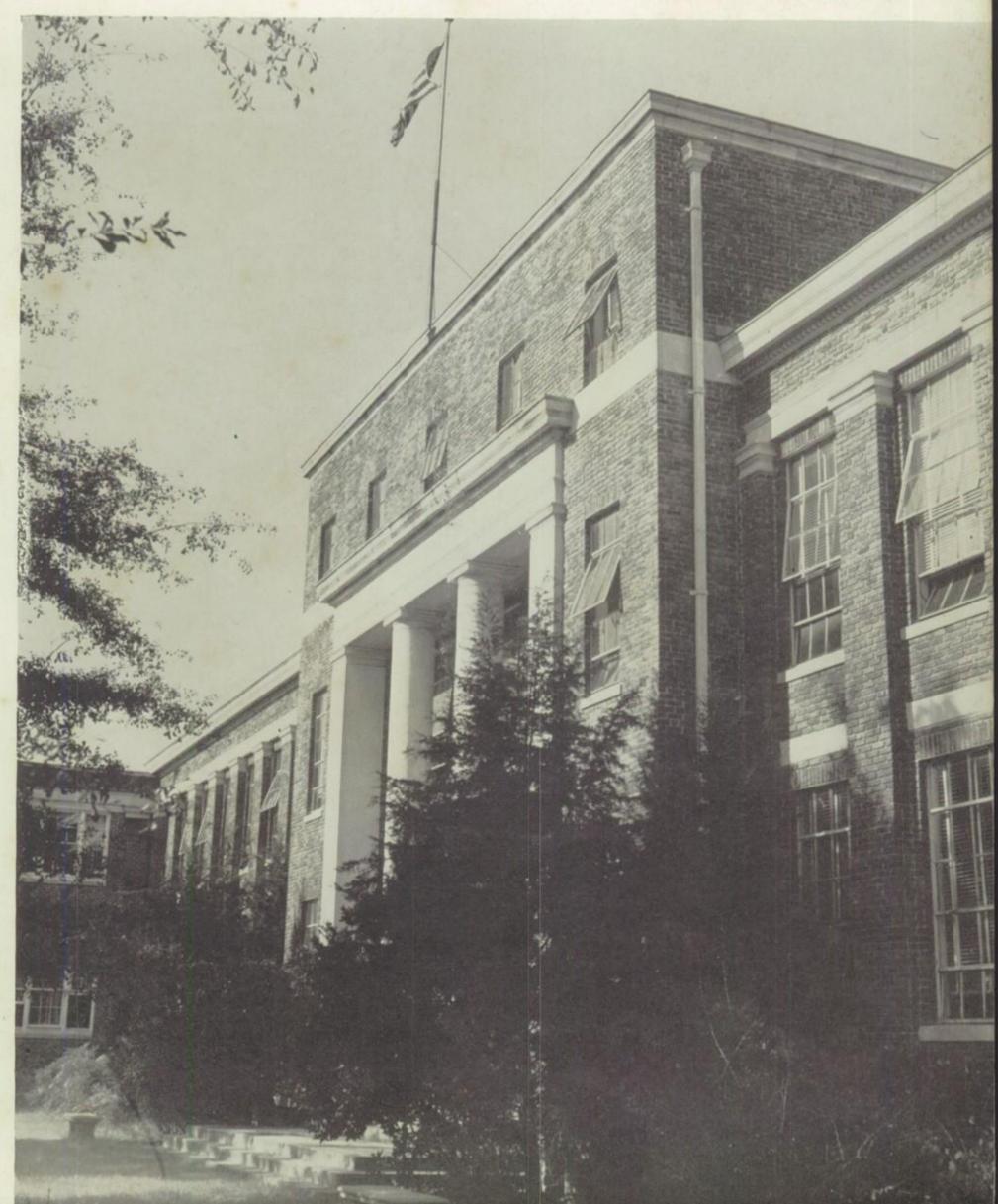
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# HI-WAYS 1948

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EDMUNDS HIGH SCHOOL Front View



### **DEDICATION**

To a friend and a teacher . . . there can be no higher praise . . . ANNIE HUGHES MALLARD, we are happy to dedicate this volume of Hi-Ways.



MRS. MALLARD

### Ad Lib.





MRS. MALLARD AND HER SENIOR LATIN CLASS ENJOY FREEDOM OF DISCUSSION

First Group. Mrs. Mallard, seated at desk. Students, reading left to right: Janet Brunson, Kathryn Gentry, Patsy Williams, Dorothy Hatfield, Elizabeth Reynolds, Eleanor Curtis.

Second Group. Students, reading left to right: Betty Owens, Anne Sprott, Eleanor Bridgman, Gwenelle Johnson.

# THE FUTURE SECURITY OF FREEDOM IS OUR RESPONSIBILITY

Through conscientious training for worthy leadership, through education for character, knowledge, and a well-rounded intelligence, through the inculcation of democratic ideals in everyday experiences, we shall be able to fortify the great freedoms that are our most priceless possessions.

Thus only shall we be able to keep faith with every young man of Edmunds High School who so gloriously laid down his life for freedom in World War II.

LAFAYETTE BAGNAL ADAMS: VERNON WALLIS BALDWIN; PAUL KENNEDY BOWMAN, JR.; BILLIE ASHLEIGH BRUNSON; WILLIAM SIDNEY BURGESS, JR.; ALWIN CARUTHERS BURNS; WILLIAM HALLETT BURNS; FRANK KENNEDY CLARKE; WILLIAM ROBERT DAVIS, JR.

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Thus only shall we be able to say, with his great Commander-in-Chief, "Freedom lives, and through it he lives, in a way that humbles the undertakings of most men."

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Left to right: Betty Owens, Tony Bowman, Mildred Craft.





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SINGING AMERICAN FOLK SONGS

Seated on piano bench: Elizabeth Reynolds, Miss Hannah Lou Dargan. Standing around piano, left to right: Bill Shuler, Laura Ruth Tisdale, Rosetta King, Alfred Murrell, Jack Jones, Carol Shaw, Bill Baldwin.



If ever the world needed men trained for worthy leadership, it needs them now, and it will need them tomorrow. The schools are the workshops where such training has its beginning.

Under careful guidance the youth of America must keep an open mind, find out what is happening, and understand issues. They must learn to think clearly and to express their thoughts fearlessly. They must learn self-reliance through certainty of knowledge and initiative through faith in the cause of right.



## SCHOOL



**LEADERSHIP** 

### ADMINISTRATION

#### THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

If the future security of freedom rests with us, the training for such responsibility rests, in turn, indirectly with the board of education; for it is the chief concern of the board to employ a faculty well equipped to give unerring guidance and true instruction.

In this way the board of education builds tomorrow's Sumter.

Our board is composed of seven members from the city and three from the county. Those from the city are Dr. C. J. Lemmon, Chairman; Mr. E. C. Dunn; Mrs. W. A. McElveen; Mr. F. M. Moise; Mr. H. G. Osteen; Mr. S. L. Roddey; Mr. Earle Rowland. Those from the county are Mr. George L. Mabry; Mr. Marion Myers; Mr. H. D. Shuler.

These ten outstanding citizens of our city and county represent a cross section of our business and vocational community, and therefore they are well able to serve all of the people.



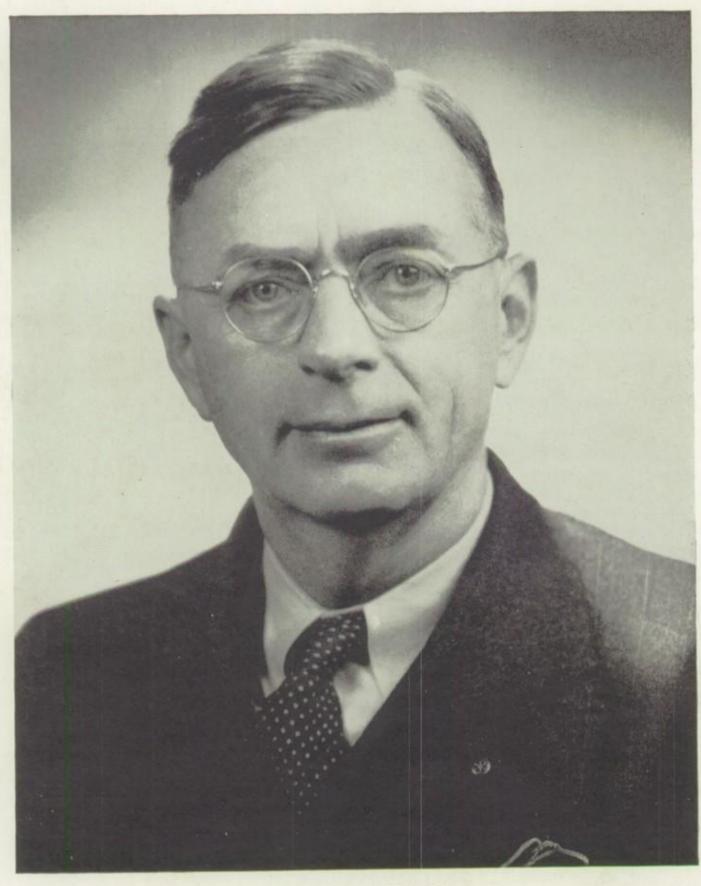
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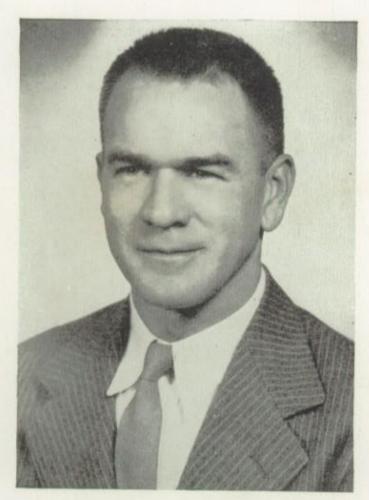


MR. E. R. CROW

A.B., FURMAN UNIVERSITY
M.A., UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA
Superintendent of Sumter City Schools

Under the able administration of Mr. Crow, Edmunds High School has carried through to a highly successful conclusion her first program of work under the new twelve-year system. The advantages of such a system have been clearly proved, and to Mr. Crow belongs much of the credit for the understanding and cooperation of the community and for the high quality of success obtained by the Class of '48.

### ADMINISTRATION



MR. HUGH T. STODDARD
A.B., University of South Carolina
M.A., University of South Carolina
Assistant Superintendent



MRS. BESSIE W. FORRESTER
B.A., WINTHROP COLLEGE

Dean of Girls



MR. PERCY WISE

A.B., University of South Carolina
M.A., University of North Carolina

Principal of Edmunds High School



MR. WISE GETS INFORMATION FOR SENIOR RECORDS

Left to right: Miss Betty Pitts, Secretary to the Principal; Mr. Percy Wise, Principal of Edmunds High School: Jack Chandler, a Senior.



Left to right: Betty Owens; Jackie Fulmer; Gwenelle Johnson; Mrs. Bessie W. Forrester, Dean of Girls in Edmunds High School; Carol Shaw.

### FACULTY



MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE. Standing on lower step, left, left to right: Miss Catherine Bass, Algebra, Business Mathematics, Latin; Mrs. Don V. Furman, Science, Biology, General Business, Kodak Club Sponsor, Sophomore Class Adviser. Standing on upper step, left, left to right: Miss Harriet Herbert, Mathematics; Miss Nell McGill, Algebra, General Mathematics, Assistant Dramatics Coach. Standing on right, left to right: Miss Ethel Burnett, Chemistry, Biology, General Science, Student Council Adviser; Mr. Larry W. Coker, Mathematics, General Science, Physics, Supervisor Military Drill; Mr. H. N. Hutchinson, Jr., General Science, Assistant Athletics Coach.

MUSIC AND LIBRARY. Left to right: Mr. F. A. Girard, Band; Mrs. Nellie Boggs Pringle, Library Library Science, Library Club Sponsor: Miss Hannah Lou Dargan (seated), Public School Music, Girls' Chorus, Boys' Glee Club.

### FACULTY

LANGUAGES (First Group). Presiding, Miss Ruth Harrington, Senior English, Junior English, American History, Antiphonal Reading for Commencement. Left row, front to back: Mrs. Josephine W. Wilder, Spanish, French, English; Miss Norah Heery, Senior English, Sophomore English, Freshman English; Miss Elizabeth Hepburn, English, Senior Classbook Adviser. Right row, front to back: Miss Susie M. Osteen, English, Sumter High News Adviser; Mrs. Annie Hughes Mallard, Latin, World History, Dramatics Club Sponsor.

SOCIAL STUDIES AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION (Second Group). Left to right: Miss Jane Grier Bell, Physical Education for Girls, Girls' Intramural Sports; Mr. Larry Weldon, Physical Education for Boys, Head Coach Boys' Athletics; Mrs. Pretto H. Brunson, Modern Problems, Global Geography, American History, Senior Class Adviser, Chairman Junior Red Cross, Chairman Social Studies Department; Miss Charlie S. Cassell, American History, English; Mrs. Harriett Carter Moses, American History, Modern History of the World, Eighth Grade History.

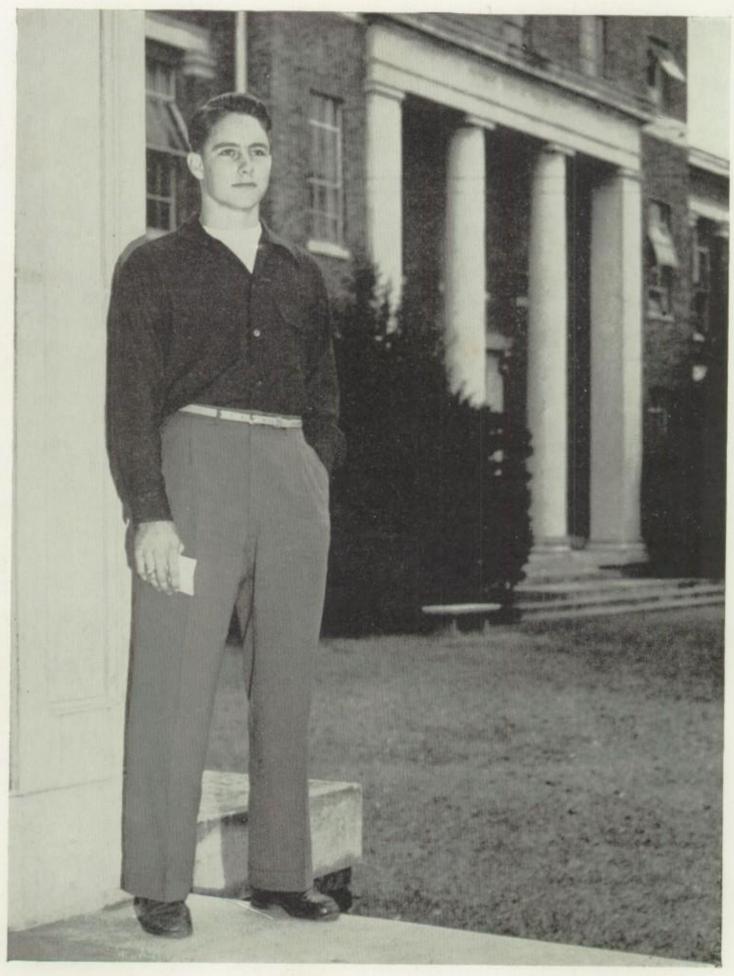
VOCATIONS AND BUSINESS (Third Group). Left to right: Miss Mary E. Stanley, General Business, Stenography I, Typing I, Girls' 4-H Club Adviser, Freshman Class Adviser; Mrs. Adeline Stuckey Scarborough, Home Economics, J. H. A. Club Sponsor; Miss Irma H. Weinberg, Bookkeeping and Accounting, Business Mathematics, D. O. Coordinator for Commercial Students (Girls); Mrs. Mary Rose Blackmon Lundy, Home Economics, Junior Homemakers Association Adviser; Mr. Walter V. Stoudenmire, Jr., Shop, D. O. Coordinator for Boys, Book Room; Mr. Fred E. Wells, Jr., Agriculture, Adviser Sumter Chapter of Future Farmers of America.

Absent when pictures were taken: Mrs. Percy Wise, Plane Geometry, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry, Algebra, Practical Mathematics; Mrs. Nan H. Forrester, Art, Mechanical Drawing, Arts and Crafts Club Adviser, Assembly Committee Adviser; Miss Julia R. Reynolds, English, History, Public Speaking: Miss Thelma M. Gaston, Typewriting, Stenography, Bookkeeping.









COVINGTON PARHAM President of the Student Body

For two years "Poss" has filled the highest position which the school offers to any boy or girl, the position of president of the student body, and no greater praise can be given to him than the statement of the fact that he remains as high in the hearts of the students today as he was two years ago when he was first elected. His character, leadership, scholarship, and athletics combined to make him a power for good in Edmunds High.

Another year "Poss" will be gone, but his influence will persist.





#### METAL CABINET PURCHASED BY STUDENT COUNCIL (TOP PICTURE)

This year the student council purchased a metal filing cabinet in which to keep the various council records. In the picture above, this cabinet is exhibited to Mr. Wise by the officers of the council. Those in the picture are, left to right: Mr. Percy Wise, Principal of Edmunds High School; Covington Parham, President of the Student Body, and therefore of the Student Council; Jimmie Robinson, Vice-President; Joe Holt, Secretary and Treasurer.

#### SHAKESPEARE PRINTS GIVEN BY STUDENT COUNCIL (BOTTOM PICTURE)

The student council this year gave each homeroom in Edmunds High School five dollars to be spent as the students themselves wished. The picture above shows two Shakespeare prints which Room 116 bought and framed with their five dollars. Those in the picture are, left to right: Miss Ethel Burnett, Student Council Faculty Adviser; James Beaty and Richard Dwight, Members of Homeroom 116.

Through the operation of a school supply room in the cafeteria and the handling of all concessions at athletic games the council makes its money. This year, besides the cabinet and the homeroom gifts, the council was able to purchase a movie screen and light-proof curtains for the little theater, to make a loan of \$150 to the F. F. A. Club, and to add \$200 to the Memorial Scholarship Fund.



THE STUDENT COUNCIL

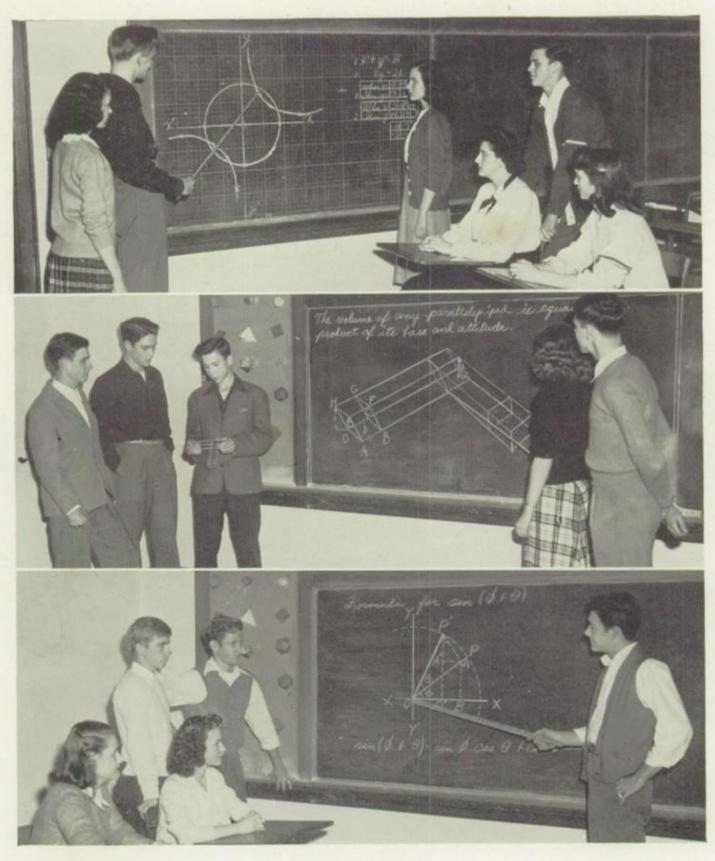
Covington Parham, President, presiding. First table, reading clockwise from left end: Tony Bowman, Lad Boyle, Jack Chandler, Richard Dwight, Catherine Tisdale. Second table: George Chokos, Pearl Spencer, Gwenelle Johnson, Patsy Williams, Wilson Parham. Third table: Hugh Humphries, E. M. Watt, Allene Bland, Pandy Bessinger, Cleo Carter, Nell Mitchell. Fourth table: Joe Holt, Junior Brown, Jimmie Robinson, Bobby Broadwell, Ferdie Alsbrooks, Judith McMillan.

The small student council is composed of the student body officers, the class officers, and the committee chairmen. Their duties are executive. They meet twice a month, and a faculty adviser always meets with them. The large student council is composed of the small council and the homeroom presidents. This group also has two regular meetings each month, the purpose of which is to reach, through their presidents, all homerooms in the school, informing the homerooms what the council is doing and conveying to the council the wishes of the homerooms.

Perhaps the best thing that the student council did in the past two years was to propose a kind of honor system. The proposal was discussed by the school in a series of student body meetings, and it was finally agreed to give it a trial, which has proved to be quite a success. It is a system of individual responsibility for order in the halls, in the cafeteria, at athletic events, and at school assemblies. It is forming habits of thoughtfulness, courtesy, and reverence throughout the school.

### School Life

#### MATHEMATICS



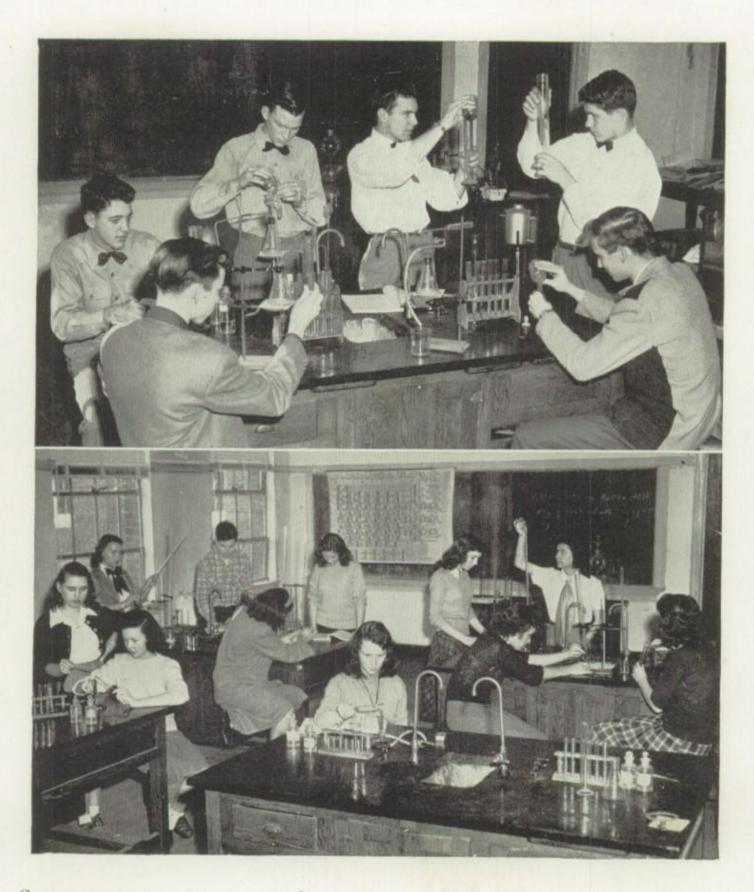
Mathematics is second only to science itself, of which it is really a part, in its importance as a high school subject today. Upon these subjects rests to no little extent the future security of our freedoms.

Senior Algebra. Standing, left to right: Kathryn Gentry, Laddie Owens, Patsy Williams, Kirby Jackson, Seated, left to right: Janet Brunson, Jackie Fulmer.

Solid Geometry. On left, left to right: Don Pace, "Poss" Parham, Myron DeBerry. On right, left to right: Billie Haddon, Nick Millard.

Trigonometry. Standing, left to right: Elisha Craig, Bobby Elmore, Earl Chrisawn. Seated, left to right: Eleanor Bridgman, Kathryn Gentry.

### School Life



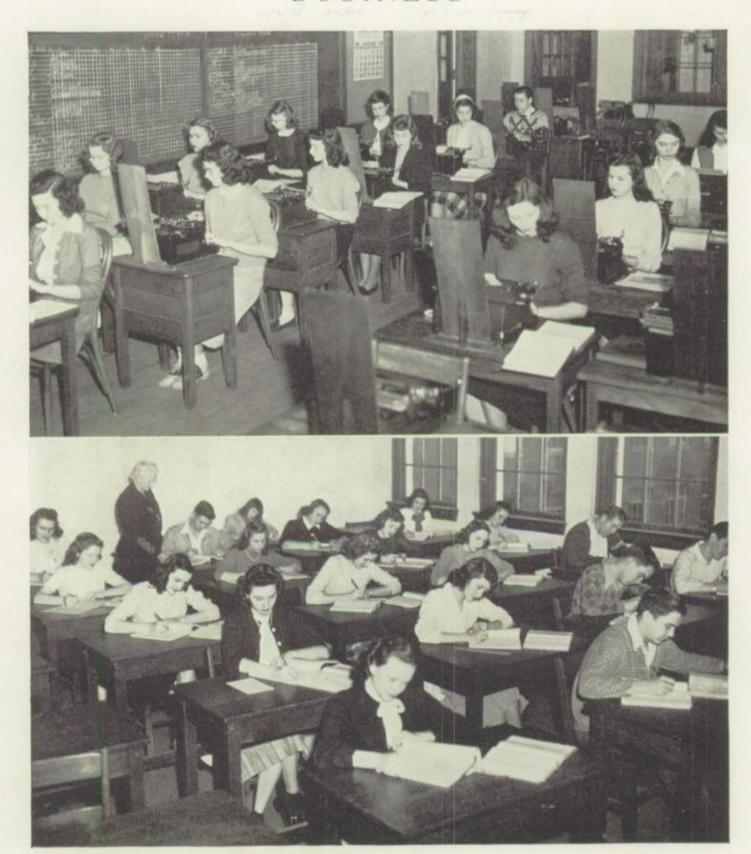
Science cannot receive too much attention in the high school if we are to "safeguard the future of our nation." The study of chemistry and physics in high school may lead to intensive research work in college and university; it may pave the way for scientific progress that will save the freedom of the world.

Chemistry. Beginning at left front and reading clockwise: Myron DeBerry, Richard Dwight, Ed Hartin, Bill Baldwin, Jack Chandler, Laddie Owens.

Chemistry. First row, left to right: Eleanor Bridgman, Kathryn Gentry, Margaret Amerson. Second row, left to right: Vernice Weathersbee, Rhidona Reese, Betty Owens, Doris Newman. Third row, left to right: Neil Harmon, June Bragg, Merle DeBerry, Catherine D'Ambra.

SCIENCE

#### BUSINESS



Business courses in high school are popular not only with boys and girls who intend to go to work immediately after receiving their diplomas, but also with many who intend to go to college. General office practice is one of the most valuable parts of the course.

Typewriting. Beginning on left, first row, front to back: Kittie Keels, Vernice Weathersbee, Anne Sprott, Betty Owens. Second row, front to back: Kathryn Gentry, Doris Newman, Margaret Amerson, Gwenelle Johnson, Rhidona Reese, Dickie Edwards. Third row, front to back: June Bragg, Evelyn Rahn, Anna Lou Polk, Jackie Fulmer.

Bookkeeping. First row, front to back: Louise Tisdale, Juliette Newton, Rosetta King, Jackie Thames, Faye McKenzie. Second row, front to back: Tommy Rogers, Cecile Kolb, Sarah Hudson, Betty Ann Hatfield, James Partin, Miss Weinberg. Third row, front to back: Lonzo Elliot, Blanche Parrott, Shirley Johns, Dorothy Fowler, Helen Powell. Fourth row, front to back: Billy Herring, Bobby Saffold, Ruth Mixon, Carolyn Holliday.

### School Life



Vocations, an important part of the high school curriculum, attract more and more students every year. Many of the boys and girls become quite skillful in their chosen work. Some even realize a nice profit from the work done while they are learning to do it. All of these vocations are significant factors for economic freedom.

Industrial Art. Left to right: Nick Fowler, Ray Amerson, Dan Rogers, Bob Finley, Reginald Goodman, J. B. Burke.

Agriculture. Left to right: Jimmy Driggers, Clinton Ford, Claude Pritchard, Arthur Southall (talking to the others about a magazine article on which they were to make a report).

Mechanical Drawing. Beginning on the left and reading clockwise: Walsh Lucas, Dickie Edwards, T. C. Smith, Carl Goodwin, George Chokos, Gerald Thweatt, Olive Evans, Reginald Goodman, Laurie Dale Wadford, Binky Dwight.

VOCATIONS

#### ART AND HOME ECONOMICS



Art is a subject that affects directly or indirectly every student in Edmunds High School. The art department makes school posters; it decorates for school entertainments; it sets the stage for plays and assembly programs. Its exhibits are always inspiring. Home Economics is very helpful to girls who choose this course. They learn sewing, cooking, buying and budgeting, interior decoration, what to wear, etiquette for all occasions.

Art Exhibit. Left to right: Dickie Edwards, Dorothy Hatfield, Mildred Inskeep. (The picture of Mildred Inskeep was painted by Dorothy Hatfield).

Home Economics. Left to right: Betty Horton, Betty Jane Justice (laying pattern and cutting), Pandy Bessinger (standing on stool for skirt measurement), Norma White (measuring skirt length). Dressmaking, which is shown in this picture, is a popular practical art with all of the girls who take home economics.

### School Life



Social Studies teach students causes and effects in history and a clearer understanding of the world today. They are fundamental in an America that is to remain a leader in world affairs.

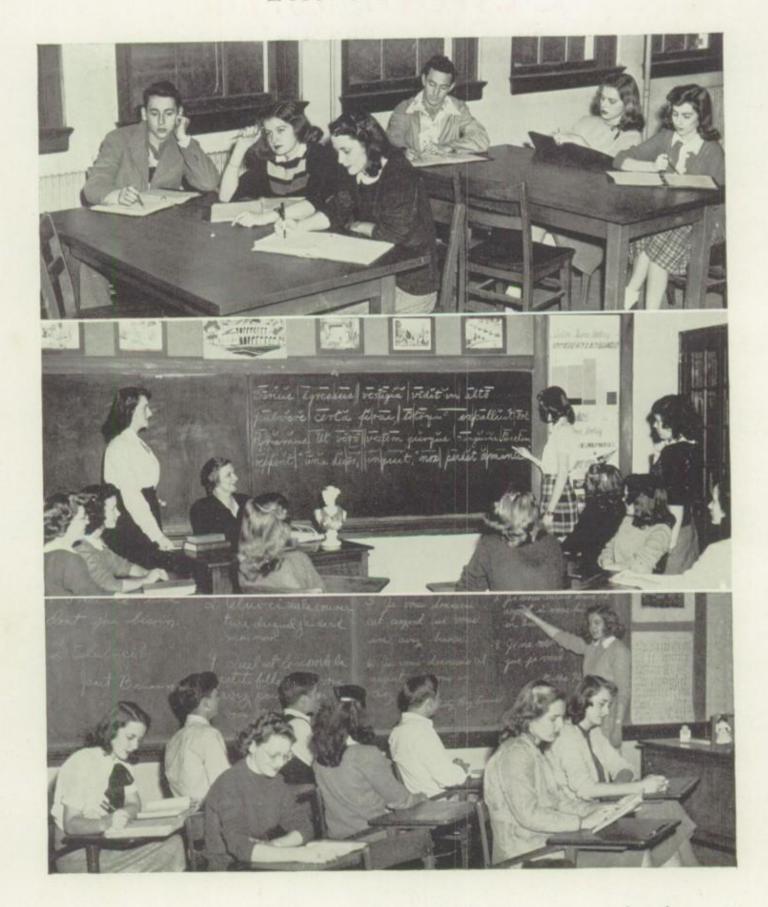
History. Seated at left end of table: George Chokos, Mildred Craft. Seated behind table: Gwenelle Johnson. Seated on right: Bill Shuler, June Bragg. Standing before poster: Betty Owens.

Modern Problems. First row, with backs to camera, left to right: Wayne Howell, Carolyn Mims, Alfred Murrell. Second row. facing front, left to right: Bill Baldwin, Carol Shaw, Frank Martin, Laurie Wadford, June Bragg. Walsh Lucas (speaking). Eleanor Poulos.

International Relations. Standing in front: Miss Norah Heery, exchange teacher from Buxton, England. Standing on right: Laddie Owens, George Chokos. Seated, first row, left to right: Patsy Williams, "Poss" Parham. Second row: Elizabeth Reynolds, Eleanor Curtis, Janet Brunson, Billy Herring, Anne Sprott. Third row: Eleanor Bridgman, Dorothy Hatfield, Lonzo Elliott, Nick Millard.

### SOCIAL STUDIES

#### LANGUAGES



Languages, as a means of understanding and communicating with other nations, are important in a peace program for a free world. English is the basis for the education and progress of America.

English (Creative Writing). Seated at first table, left to right: Gerald Thweatt, Billie Haddon, Eleanor Curtis. Seated at second table, left to right: Arthur Southall, Mildred Inskeep, Gwenelle Johnson.

Latin. Seated at desk: Mrs. Mallard. Reading counterclockwise: Janet Brunson, Kathryn Gentry, Dot Hatfield, Gwenelle Johnson, Eleanor Bridgman, Pat Williams, Eleanor Curtis, Betty Owens (standing), Elizabeth Reynolds, Anne Sprott (at board).

French. First row, left to right, front to back: Eleanor Curtis, Kirby Jackson, George Nichols. Second row, left to right, front to back: Dot Hatfield, Patsy Williams, Laurie Wadford. Third row, left to right, front to back: Mildred Inskeep, Janet Brunson, Billie Haddon (at board).

Betty Ray Evans was absent when the picture was taken.

### School Life

### DIVERSIFIED OCCUPATIONS (Girls)



Secretary
Jackie Fulmer

General Office Work
Shirley Johns
Bookkeeper
Faye McKenzie

General Office Work
Helen Powell

Bookkeeper
Carolyn Holladay
Secretary
Thelma Jones
Assistant Bookkeeper
Ruth Mixon
Typist
Jackie Thames

Cashier at Movie Theater
SARAH HUDSON

Stenographer
ANNE McDonald

Stenographer
BLANCHE PARROTT

Stenographer
LOUISE TISDALE

### DIVERSIFIED OCCUPATIONS (Boys)

#### WORK EXPERIENCES

The diversified occupations program is a type of part time education for girls and boys. The students are required to work at least twenty hours each week. The program is a cooperative one between the school and the employers in the community.

It operates as follows: Students in the last two years of high school, who have reached the age of sixteen and have good character and work habits, are allowed to work in "business establishments, industries, and trades of the community and to receive school credit for their work."

The practical experience is secured on a real job. The school gives related instruction to the students participating in the program. "specifically in the trade or occupation in which each is working."

The school gives one unit of credit for the work experience and one unit for the related instruction.

Other courses in the school must be taken to complete the requirements for graduation.



Grocery Clerk
JIMMIE BRUNSON



Radiator Repair Work
DAN ROGERS
Car Trimmer
J. B. Burke

Meat Cutter
Bob Finley
Theater Management
Henry Hall

Auto Parts Clerk
Bobby Harden
Veneer Plant Work
John McNeill

### SOCIAL LIFE (Informal)



#### ICE CREAM PARTY

Seated, left to right: Dot Hatfield, Elizabeth Reynolds, Eleanor Bridgman, Rosetta King, Janet Brunson. Standing, left to right: Richard Dwight, Jack Chandler, James Beaty, Kathryn Gentry, Anne Sprott, Gwenelle Johnson.



#### INFORMAL DANCE

In front, left to right: George Chokos and Betty Ray Evans, Frank Martin and Eleanor Curtis. In back, left to right: Moscoe Johnson and Betty Owens, Elisha Craig and Billie Haddon, Dickie Edwards and Rhidona Reese, Bill Baldwin and Carol Shaw.

A majority of the social affairs for the teen-agers, including square dances and after-the-football-games gatherings at the canteen, "coke" and ice cream parties at school, and a number of the senior parties, are informal.

Informal square dances are held at the canteen the first Saturday night in every month. "Coke" and ice cream parties are popular in the various homerooms. Often these are rewards for outstanding interest and effort in school activities.

### SOCIAL LIFE (Formal)



ARRIVALS FOR JUNIOR-SENIOR (TOP PICTURE)

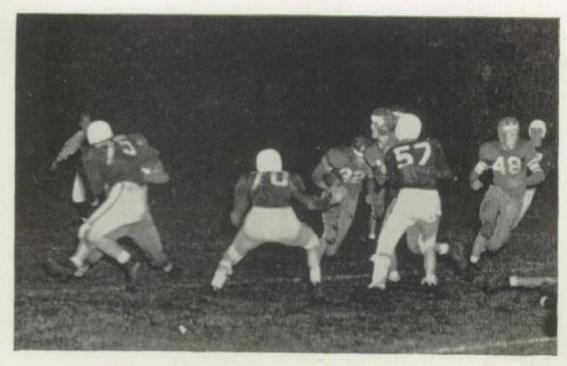
On the left: Nick Fowler and Jackie Fulmer. Entering the auditorium: James Beaty and Pearl Spencer. Grouped just inside the entrance to the foyer: Bobby Elmore, Gwenelle Johnson, Dorothy Hatfield, and Tony Bowman.

#### JUNIOR-SENIOR DANCE (BOTTOM PICTURE)

Left to right: Jack Chandler and Sydney Ann Huskey, "Poss" Parham and Patsy Williams, Alfred Murrell and Betty Ray Evans, Laddie Owens and Eleanor Curtis. At the piano: Jackie Fulmer and Nick Fowler.

Among the formal affairs at school the Junior-Senior stands out as the one which no girl or boy will ever forget. For weeks beforehand the juniors keep the big secret of the entertainment program from prying seniors. Dates are made. New frocks and new suits are bought. And after aeons of waiting the time arrives. Better than one's dreams! That's Junior-Senior!

### BIG MOMENTS



#### 14 то 13!

In Sumter's historical victory over Rock Hill, "Poss" Parham (No. 32) carries around his own right end for a gain of about ten yards.

Bill Baldwin, Gamecock fullback, takes out Rock Hill's left end as Jackson prepares to take out the Bearcats' tackle and guard (Nos. 70 and 57), and Bud Rivers, Sumter's snappy little guard, begins to lead the play on up the field.

#### In Print!

High News appears twice every month! What a thrill to find your name in print!

Seated on steps, left to right: Nick Fowler, Carl Wine-coff. Group on left, front to back: Betty Horton (standing), Jackie Fulmer, Catherine D'Ambra. Group at top of steps, left to right: Bobby Saffold, James Beaty, Betty Owens, Ray Smith, Moscoe Johnson.





**CURTAIN TIME!** 

It's the night of the senior play! and curtain time!

Just entering: Bill Shuler and Betty Pitts. Giving them programs: Lad Boyle. Looking at watches: Billie Haddon and Bill Baldwin. Seated at table, counting money and tickets: Frank Martin and Bud Rivers.

# THE CROWNING EVENT OF THE YEAR



THE IRIS QUEEN!

In May, when the iris gardens are in bloom, Edmunds High School holds an iris festival. It is a beautiful event! Many lovely girls take part!

One is chosen queen!

If America is to make her own freedom secure and remain a power for the freedom of the world, it will have to be through an educated citizenry.

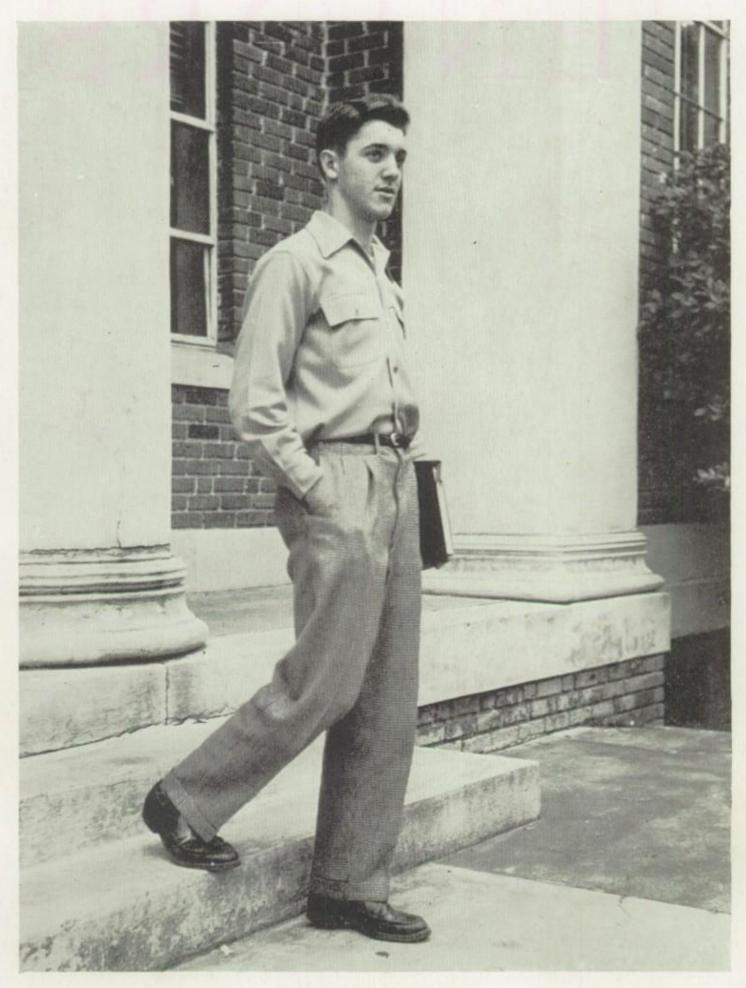
Education for knowledge is, of course, fundamental, but it is not all. There must be education for intelligence, with which to meet problems and crises and win friends for the right. There must be education for character, the basis of which is religion, but which comprises besides religion a vision and a purpose and the stability to hold to that purpose come what may.



# SENIORS



**EDUCATION** 



RICHARD DWIGHT

President of the Senior Class

Three times in high school Richard was elected a class officer, which goes to show that he assumed responsibilities and got results. This year, as president, he had the distinction of leading his class successfully through the first twelfth grade.

Besides being president of the senior class, Richard belonged to the student council, he was on the business staff of the annual, and he excelled in all major sports in the school, serving as a captain of the 1947 football squad.

Outside of school he was a member of the Hi-Y Club for the past three years.



THE OFFICERS OF THE SENIOR CLASS

Presiding, Richard Dwight, President. Seated around the table, left to right: Pearl Spencer, Vice-President; Lad Boyle, Secretary; George Chokos, Treasurer.

With Pearl, Lad, George, and Richard at the head of it, the senior class achieved all of the goals customarily set for graduating classes, such as the annual, a senior play, an iris festival and . . . sixteen units.

Theirs being the twelfth grade to begin all twelfth grades, the boys and girls of the senior class walked circumspectly at all times, so much so that they won for themselves a new privilege, the privilege of going to lunch a few minutes earlier than the rest of the school and therefore of having first place in lunch line.

But life for the seniors was not all routine work and play that was mapped out for them. In a solemn mood, these seemingly carefree young people chose as the theme for their annual The Future Security of Our Freedoms, and out of grateful hearts that freedom still is ours, they decided to make a gift to their school of a bronze memorial plaque honoring those boys of Edmunds High School who "dared to die that freedom might live."

This is our senior class.

MISS RUTH HARRINGTON, Teacher





#### HOMEROOM OFFICERS DECORATING CLASSROOM (Top Picture)

Lest to right: Betty Bradham, Treasurer: Juliette Newton, Secretary: Laura Ruth Tisdale, Vice-President: Cecile Kolb, President.

Other officers of the homeroom were Thelma Proctor, High News Representative; Dorothy Fowler, Red Cross Representative; Laura Ruth Tisdale, Magazine Captain.

#### THANKSGIVING (BOTTOM PICTURE)

Homeroom 206 took as their special project this year Thanksgiving and Christmas offerings for the poor of the city and the community. The students all brought gifts, which consisted principally of food and clothing, though books and toys were added to the Christmas collection, and money contributions came in fine for miscellaneous needs of individual families.

In the picture above we see members of the homeroom packing up gifts for distribution. They are, front row, left to right: Doris June, Sara Ellen Huggins, Betty Ann Hatfield. Back row, left to right: Miss Harrington, Dot Fowler, Shirley Johns, Cecile Kolb, Juliette Newton, Laura Ruth Tisdale.

MRS. PRETTO H. BRUNSON, Teacher





#### HOMEROOM OFFICERS MOUNTING "FREEDOM" POSTERS (Top Picture)

Left to right: Margaret Amerson, Acting Secretary; June Bragg, President; Bobby Elmore, Treasurer; John Rivers, Vice-President. Mildred Inskeep, Secretary, was absent when the picture was taken.

Other officers of the homeroom were J. J. Waters, High News Representative; Martha White, Red Cross Representative; Bill Baldwin, Magazine Captain.

#### HUMANITY (BOTTOM PICTURE)

There is nothing finer in the school than the work of the Junior Red Cross. This was the special project of homeroom 109 this year. It was a work of love for humanity. For example, scores of European children, wretched and hopeless, found bright packages at Christmas time, sent to them by the Junior Red Cross. These packages contained handkerchiefs, tooth-brushes, combs, hair clamps, paper, crayons, and other simple gifts. Best of all they contained Christmas cheer for children.

Those in the picture are, first row, left to right: Martha White (seated left of table), Margarett Hodge and Anna Lou Polk (on floor), Eleanor Poulos (seated right of table), Back row: Reginald Goodman and Mildred Foxworth (seated back of table), Carolyn Mims and J. J. Waters (mounting display).

MISS NORAH HEERY, Teacher



## HOMEROOM OFFICERS USING SUPPLEMENTARY TEXTBOOKS

Left to right: Kirby Jackson, Vice-President; Patsy Williams, President; Billy Herring, Secretary; Lonzo Elliott, Treasurer.

Other officers of the homeroom were Elisha Craig, High News Representative; Eleanor Bridgman, Red Cross Representative; Elizabeth Reynolds, Magazine Captain.



#### INTERNATIONAL UNDERSTANDING AND GOOD WILL

The members of homeroom 106 this year had the good fortune to be closely associated with Miss Norah Heery, exchange teacher from Buxton, England, as their homeroom teacher. In informal talks as well as in class work, through the study of English literature and the English language, by means of recordings and of moving pictures showing English life, and in various other ways these students somehow came closer to England under Miss Heery's guidance, appreciated England's great history, understood her youth of today.

The above picture shows Miss Heery talking with a group of her seniors. The seniors are, front row, left to right: Evelyn Hudson, Rosetta King, Doris Newman, Eleanor Curtis, Dorothy Hatfield. Second row, left to right: Anne Sprott, Eleanor Bridgman, Billy Herring, Lonzo Elliott. Third row, left to right: Nick Millard, Kirby Jackson, John Atkinson.

MISS ELIZABETH HEPBURN, Teacher



## HOMEROOM OFFICERS BEGINNING THE DAY'S WORK

Left to right: Mason Stevenson, Treasurer; Paul Moore, Vice-President; Carol Shaw, Secretary; Bill Shuler, President.

Other officers of the homeroom were Jackie Fulmer, High News Representative; Betty Owens, Red Cross Representative; Paul Moore, Magazine Captain.



#### HEALTH AND GENERAL WELFARE

Realizing the basic importance of health to the general welfare of our country, the students of homeroom 116 this year made a special point of supporting the health campaigns to which the schools were called upon to contribute. Among these there were the Christmas Seals campaign for the cure and prevention of tuberculosis, the March of Dimes for the treatment of infantile paralysis cases, and the Sale of Easter Seals for the benefit of crippled children. Homeroom 116 led the school in the campaign for the cure and prevention of tuberculosis, with the purchase by the students of 2,000 seals.

The students shown in the picture each bought 100 or more Christmas seals. They are, standing, on the left: James Beaty (almost out of the picture), Jack Jones, Dow Player, Joe Heriot, Jackie Fulmer. Seated, on the left: Gwenelle Johnson, Catherine D'Ambra. Seated, on the right: Betty Owens (selling seals). Standing, on the right: Gerald Thweatt and Bobby Saffold (buying seals).

# SENIORS\_

#### MARGARET ALICE AMERSON

. . . short but sweet . . . though married, decided to finish high school . . . ambition, to be a good housewife . . . chief interest, her husband.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3.

#### RAY EDWARD AMERSON

. . . courteous and friendly . . . neat as a pin . . . likes a good movie . . . ambition, to be a radio technician.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President F. F. A. 2.

#### JOHN K. ATKINSON

. . . takes business course and likes it . . . good bookkeeper . . . chief interest, farming . . . quiet manner . . . always polite . . . liked by everybody.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Study Club 3, 4.

#### ARTHUR W. BAKER

. . . likable fellow . . . chief interest, physical education . . . plans to become a football coach.

Football Team 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Military Officer 2, 3, 4; Block "S" 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Coach Junior Varsity Football 5.

#### EDWARD DEWITT BAKER

... "Ed" ... friendly ... big and husky ... keen sense of humor ... interested in salesmanship.

Football Team 1, 2, 3, 4; Block "S" Club 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4.

#### WILLIAM KING BALDWIN

... "Bill" . . . a grand dancer . . . excels in sports . . . ambition, to be a football coach.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4: Captain 4: Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4: Captain 3: Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4: Military Officer 3, 4: Homeroom Officer 2, 3: Hi-Y 3, 4: Chorus 3, 4.

Amerson, M. Baker, A.

Amerson, R. Baker, E.

Atkinson Baldwin





#### FRANCES GRAHAM BEALL

... likes office practice work ... favorite study is bookkeeping ... plans to take business course in Washington, D. C., after graduation.

Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### JAMES SLOAN BEATY

... "Barefoot" ... blond hair and green eyes ... good-looking clothes ... unhurried ... unworried ... just a regular fellow.

Homeroom Officer 1, 2, 3; Magazine Sales Captain 3; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### DEWEY LEONARD BETHEA

... mechanical-minded ... favorite study is shop ... favorite job, any old car ... dark and serious and very sincere.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Reading Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### ANTHONY K. BOWMAN, JR.

dependable . . . likable.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4: Senior Play 4: Commencement

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4: Senior Play 4: Commencement Marshal 2, 3: Advertising Manager High News 3, 4: Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4: President 3, 4: Business Manager Hi-Ways 4: President Canteen 3, 4.

#### LADSON HUNTER BOYLE

. . . Lad . . . witty red head . . . good dresser . . . smooth dancer . . . popular.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3; Secretary 3; Marshal at Commencement 2: Treasurer Class 2; Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4; Secretary 3; Class Secretary 4; Hi-Ways Business Committee 4.

#### BETTY BRADHAM

. . . grand dancer . . . good actress . . . lots of fun; lots of friends.

Chorus 1, 2, 3: Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4: Vice-President Homeroom 3: Treasurer Homeroom 4: Girls' Athletic Association 4: Basketball 2, 3, 4.

#### ELINOR JUNE BRAGG

. . . lovely to look at . . . delightful personality . . . excellent student . . . grand girl.

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3; President Homeroom 4; Hi-Ways Staff 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Football Sponsor 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Marshal at Scnior Play 4.

#### ELEANOR BRIDGMAN

. . . a girl vou can count on . . . friendly and sincere . . . ambition, to be a nurse.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Association 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4.

#### Douglas Claude Brunson

. . . "Doug" . . . born football player . . . friend of the crowd . . . good-humored.

Football Team 2, 3, 4; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Block "S" Club 3, 4; F. F. A. Club 1, 2, 3.

#### NORMA JANET BRUNSON

. . . heavenly-blue eyes . . . wonderful personality . . . yearns to teach French . . . will attend Queens College next year.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Small Student Council 3; Assembly Committee 4; General Co-Chairman Annual Staff 4; Production Staff Senior Play 4.

#### JIMMIE OLIVER BRUNSON

. . . little, with big smile . . . always polite . . . always considerate of others . . . a friend you can count on.

Study Club 1, 2; Military Unit 1, 2, 3; Diversified Occupations

#### MARY BRUNSON

... reserved ... fine in character ... likes music and home-making ... plans to become a public health nurse.
4-H Club 2, 3, 4; President 4-H Club 4; Girls' Chorus 2, 3, 4.

#### JOSEPH BENJAMIN BURKE, JR.

skill, making furniture . . . likes sports, especially baseball. Study Club 1, 2: Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4: Diversified Occupations 4.

#### Anna Lee Campbell

Junior-Senior Banquet Committee 1; Vice-President Homeroom 1; Office Employee 2; Marshal at Commencement 2; President 4-H Club 3; Basketball Team 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 4.

Brunson, M.

Brunson, Janet Burke

Brunson, Jimmie Campbell





#### JACK WILLARD CHANDLER, JR.

. . . athlete . . . orator . . . leader.

Football 2, 3, 4: "All-State" 4: Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4: "All-State" 2, 3, 4: Captain 4: President Class 1, 2, 3: Governor Boys State '47: Boys Forum of National Government '47: Hi-Ways 4: Winner American Legion Oratorical Contest, School, District, Area 4.

#### GEORGE CHRIS CHOKOS

. . . easy to like . . . good-looking clothes . . . popular.

President Homeroom 1; Vice-President 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Business Staff Hi-Ways 4; Treasurer Class 4.

#### EARL SEBASTIAN CHRISAWN, JR.

. . . friendly and courteous . . . liked by everybody . . . has a talent for mathematics.

Military Officer 4: Marshal at Commencement 2: President Homeroom 2, 3: Football 3: Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4: Hi-Y 3, 4: Teen-Age Canteen Board 3.

#### WILLIAM SHELLEY COCKERILL

. . . "Bill" . . . loves guns and dogs and hunting . . . ambition, to own a neon plant someday.

Basketball 3, 4; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Arts and Crafts Club 4.

#### MILDRED LOUISE CRAFT

... wonderful actress . . . poise . . . personality . . . pleasing voice . . . after graduation, Winthrop.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Leading Rôle in Senior Play 4; Secretary Homeroom 3; High News Staff 3, 4; Hi-Ways Staff 4.

#### ELISHA WILSON CRAIG

. . . "Pee Wee" . . . smooth dancer . . . chief interest, aviation . . . excellent mathematician.

4-H Club 1, 2; Arts and Crafts Club 3; Dramatics Club 4; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; High News Representative 4.

#### ELEANOR CURTIS

. . . lovely as a flower . . . dances divinely . . . interested in psychiatry.

Marshal at Commencement 3: Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4: Assembly Play 4: Secretary Homeroom 2: Chorus 1: Hi-Ways Staff 4.

#### MARY CATHERINE D'AMBRA

... small ... soft spoken ... a grand worker on all school projects ... talented actress ... plans to be a nurse.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Community Play 4; Senior Play 4; Hi-Ways Staff 4.

#### MERLE DEBERRY

. . loves dramatics . . . good in sports . . . devoted twin . . . ambition, to be a nurse.

Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 3, 4.

#### JOHN MYRON DEBERRY

. . . Merle's twin brother . . . favorite pastime, sports . . . favorite studies, science and mathematics . . . very businesslike . . . fine and dependable.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Manager of Basketball Team 3, 4; Block "S" Wearer 3, 4.

#### RICHARD COLES DWIGHT

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Block "S" 2, 3, 4; Homeroom President 2; Vice-President Class 1, 3; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; President Senior Class 4; Business Staff Hi-Ways 4.

#### JOHN RICHARD EDWARDS

. . . "Dickie" . . . "French actor" . . . likes mechanical drawing . . . plans to be a draftsman.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4: Officer 3, 4: Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4: Senior Play 4: Typist for High News 3, 4.

#### NEWTON L. ELLIOTT

. . . "Lonzo" . . . debater . . . mathematician . . . good student . . . plans to be a C. P. A. . . . dependable in all things . . . a grand fellow.

Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Club 4; Treasurer Homeroom 4; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4.

#### CHAMPYE DAVID ELLIS

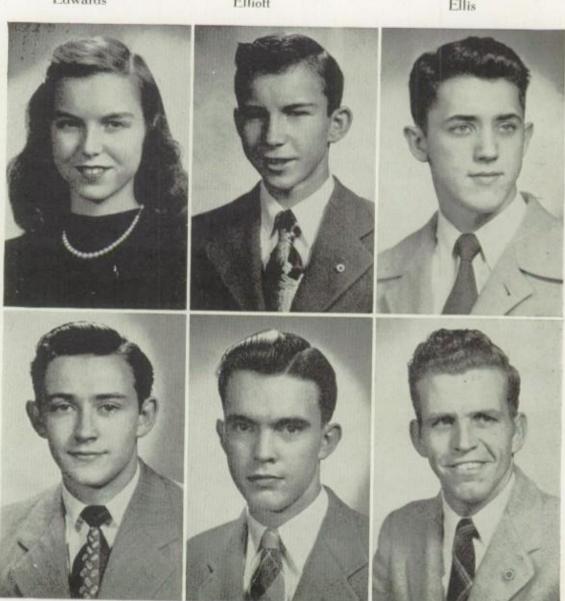
. . . "C. D." . . . ex-marine . . . generous and likable . . . interested in foundry work.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Military Club 1, 2, 3, Left to join the U. S. Marine Corps. Returned to finish high school.

DeBerry, Merle Edwards

DeBerry Myron Elliott

Dwight Ellis





Fowler, N.

Foxworth

Fulmer

Gentry

#### GEORGE ROBERT ELMORE

. . . "Eggy" . . . lots of fun . . . plenty of friends . . . ambition, to work in insurance.

President Homeroom 1: Student Council 1: Dramatics Club 2. 3. 4: Treasurer Homeroom 4: Baseball Manager 2. 3. 4:

#### BETTY RAY EVANS

. . . attractive majorette . . . good dancer . . . adorable clothes . . . chief interest, piano.

Majorette 1, 2, 3; Drum Majorette 4; Marshal at Commencement 2; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Chairman Property Committee 3; Annual Staff 4.

#### ROBERT WALTER FINLEY

. . popular shoe salesman . . . service with a smile . . . that's Bob . . . favorite pastime, tinkering with cars . . . favorite subject in school, industrial art.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Diversified Occupations 4.

#### DOROTHY FOWLER

. . . a friendly way . . . a nice smile . . . everybody likes Dot Chorus 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Treasurer 3; J. H. A. 4; Red Cross Representative 4: Business Staff High News 4: Typist HI-WAYS 4.

#### WILLIE DELGAR FOWLER

... "Nick" ... witty ... well dressed ... grand dancer ... likes girls and fishing and mathematics.

Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4; Arts and Crafts Club 2, 3; Secretary Homeroom 3: Football 1: Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4: Magazine Sales Captain 3: Dramatics Club 4.

#### MILDRED FLORENCE FOXWORTH

lovely voice . . . favorite pastime, music and movies . . . chief interest, social studies . . . friendly and likable.

Girls Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; J. H. A. 1, 2, 3; Study Club 4; Music Programs at Assembly 4.

#### JACKIE ERNESTINE FULMER

. . . excellent student . . . efficient secretary . . . social leader . . . friendly and popular.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Marshal at Commencement 2, 3; High News 2, 3, 4; Page Editor 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Property Committee 4; Hi-Ways Staff 4.

#### MYRTLE KATHRYN GENTRY

brilliant student . . . delightful personality . . . friendly and lovable.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Marshal at Commencement 2, 3; High News Staff 3, 4; Secretary Homeroom 3; High News Representative 4: HI-WAYS Staff 4.

#### DAVIS REGINALD GOODMAN

. . . everybody's friend . . . hobby, machinery . . . favorite pastime, hunting and fishing . . . good student . . . swell fellow. Reporter for F. F. A. Club 2: Secretary for F. F. A. Club 3; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### CARL SAMUEL GOODWIN, JR.

. . . friendly fellow . . . well liked . . . well dressed . . . courteous . . . ambition, to study engineering.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; High News Representative 3; Drill Officer 3, 4; Hi-Y Club 4.

#### "BILLIE" HADDON

. . . mathematics shark . . . ambition, to be a journalist . . . grand musician . . . marimba specialist.

High School Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; High News Staff 3, 4; Hi-Ways Staff 4; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### HENRY ALEXANDER HALL

. . . favorite study, business . . . after graduation plans, to go to Carolina or to business school . . . after college, to work in

Diversified Occupations 4; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### ROBERT JONES HARDEN

. . . "Bobby" . . . air castle, to travel around the world . . . favorite study, mechanical drawing . . . plans to be an architect. Baseball 2: Football 2: Military Unit 1, 2, 3: Diversified Occupations 4.

#### NEIL HARMON

. . . favorite pastime, a good game of chess . . . favorite study, chemistry . . . after graduation plans, college and chemical engineering.

Columbia: School Newspaper Reporter 2. Hillcrest: Football 3; Vice-President Class 3. Sumter: Dramatics Club 4.

Goodman Hall

Goodwin

Haddon





Hartin Herring

Hatfield, B. Hodge, B.

Hatfield, D. Hodge, M.

Heriot Holladay

#### EDWARD WILLIAMS HARTIN

... "Ed" ... favorite study, mathematics ... favorite pastime, hunting ... good student ... good athlete.

Basketball 3, 4: Baseball 2, 4: Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4: Block "S" Club 4: Commencement Marshal 2: Treasurer Class 1; Secretary Class 2: Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4.

#### BETTY ANN HATFIELD

. . . grand typist . . . plans to be a business girl . . . friendly . . . likable.

Hillcrest: 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Club 3. Sumter: Business Staff of High News 4; Typist for Hi-Ways 4.

#### DOROTHY JEAN HATFIELD

. . . "Dot" . . . quite an artist . . . paints portraits . . . good actress . . . good student.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; Marshal at Commencement 2; President Homeroom 2; Assembly Committee 4; Hr-Ways Staff 4; Senior Play Staff 4.

#### JOE C. HERIOT, JR.

... country gentleman ... likes a gun and a dog and the wide open spaces ... good-looking ... nice smile ... well liked.

Marshal at Commencement 3; Arts and Crafts Club 3;

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Lieutenant 4.

#### WILLIAM DAVID HERRING

... "Fish" ... good sport ... chief interest, physical education ... ambition, to be a football coach.

Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Block "S" 4; Secretary Homeroom 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Lieutenant 3, 4.

#### BETTY JEWEL HODGE

. . . charming smile . . . friendly manner . . . lovely voice . . . plans to be a business girl.

Girls' Chorus 2, 3, 4; J. H. A. Club 3, 4; Girls' 4-H Club

#### Margarett Gertrude Hodge

home economics . . . likes dressmaking and table arrangements.
4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Refreshments Committee Junior-Senior; Refreshments Committee Chamber of Commerce Supper 4.

#### C. CAROLYN HOLLADAY

. . . favorite study, typing . . . D. O. student . . . makes a good secretary . . . plans to go to Winthrop.

Red Cross Representative 1: Served at Junior-Senior 1: 4-H Club 1. 2. 3: Chorus 1: Marshal at Musical Concert 4: Diversified Occupations 4: Treasurer 4-H Club 1.

#### BETTY JANE HORTON

. . . cute girl with auburn hair . . . lovely voice . . . favorite study, home economics . . . likes typing . . . plans to do office work.

Secretary-Treasurer Homeroom 1; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; J. H. A. Club 3,

#### ALFRED WAYNE HOWELL

. . . that tall boy with the black hair who talks incessantly . . . hobby, photography . . . sax shark . . . very likable.

High School Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Photographer for High News 3; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4.

#### EVELYN HUDSON

. . . likes algebra and the movies . . . collects poems . . . plans to be a homemaker . . . good cook . . . good seamstress . . . glad smile.

Junior Homemakers' Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Refreshments Committee Junior-Senior 3.

#### SARAH JANE HUDSON

... lovely looking ... stately ... air castle, to be a Powers Model ... but will compromise on being a stenographer. Business Manager High News 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3; Vice-President Homeroom 3; Hi-Ways Staff 4.

#### SARA ELLEN HUGGINS

. . . a girl that likes algebra . . . sweet voice . . . nice smile . . . reads good books.

Chorus 1, 2, 3; Served at Junior-Senior; Study Club 4.

#### SYDNEY ANNE HUSKEY

. . . popular brunette . . . gorgeous looking girl . . . charming manner . . . good student . . . grand friend.

Secretary Homeroom 1; High News 2, 3, 4; Marshal at Commencement 2; Annual Staff 4; Band 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Attendant May Festival 3, 4.

Horton Hudson, S. Howell Huggins

Hudson, E. Huskey





#### MILDRED LEE INSKEEP

. . . vivacious blonde . . . artistic . . . wish on the moon, to be a doctor's wife.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Art Editor Hi-Ways 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary Homeroom 4; Staff Senior Play 4.

#### KIRBY BRYAN JACKSON

. . . okay student . . . three letter athlete . . . tall . . . good looking . . . popular.

Baseball Team 3, 4; Vice-President Homeroom 1, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Block "S" Club 3, 4; Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4; Football Team 4; Company Commander Drill 4.

#### SHIRLEY BLANCHE JOHNS

. . . likes people . . . lots of friends . . . collects pennants . . . after-graduation plans, to be a stenographer.

Chorus 1, 2: Basketball 2, 3: Diversified Occupations 4.

#### JAMIE GWENELLE JOHNSON

. . . only "as high as my heart" . . . excellent student . . . liked by everybody.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 3, 4; Marshal at Commencement 2, 3; High News 3, 4; Homeroom President 3; Editor-in-Chief Hi-Ways 4.

#### JAMES MOSCOE JOHNSON

. . . good sport . . . loyal friend . . . likes football and hunting . . . ambition, to graduate at college.

Football Team 2, 3, 4; Block "S" Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Drill Captain 2, 3; Dramatics Club 4.

#### JOHN RICHARD JONES

. . . "Jack" . . . likes drawing and swimming . . . ambition, to be a navy doctor.

Military Club 1, 2; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Drill Officer 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2; Boys' Glee Club 4; Art Editor Hi-Ways 4; Vice-President Homeroom 1; Treasurer 2.

#### THELMA RUTH JONES

#### Doris June

. . . likes drawing and skating . . . favorite study, shorthand . . . after-graduation plans, to make enough money as a stenographer to take a trip to Egypt.

J. H. A. Club 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2; Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### KITTIE KEELS

. . . Kittie "with the light brown hair" . . . gentle and soft-spoken . . . but, oh, how she can make that trumpet speak!

High School Band 1, 2, 3, 4: Assembly and Football Band

Programs 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### RENTZ KING

. . . blond twin brother of Rosetta's . . . twinkling eyes . . . keen sense of fun . . . loves the great outdoors and hunting and fishing.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; F. F. A. 1; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### ROSETTA "ETTA" KING

beautiful voice . . . after-graduation plans, to go to college . . . ambition, to be a good secretary.

Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Assembly Music Programs 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### CECILE KOLB

President Homeroom 1, 4; Treasurer 3; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Marshal at Commencement 2, 3; Hockey 2, 4; Basketball 2, 4; G. A. A. 2, 4.

#### HENRY WALSH LUCAS

. . . fine and dependable . . . lots of personality . . . college next . . . then business.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; High Bond Salesman in Homeroom 1; High Magazine Salesman in Class 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4.

#### SAM FRANCIS MARTIN, JR.

. . . "Frank" . . . sportsman . . . sports writer . . . dark and good looking.

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; American Legion Baseball 2, 3; Sports Editor High News 3, 4; Colonel Military 3; Lieutenant Colonel 4; Sports Editor Hi-Ways 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4.

Keels Kolb

King, Rentz Lucas

King, Rosetta Martin



#### ANNE McDonald

. . . loves literature and music . . . air castle, to become a professional musician . . . an all-round girl.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4: Basketball 3; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 1; School Office Work 2; Diversified Occupations 4.

#### WILLIE FAYE MCKENZIE

. . . good bookkeeper . . . plans to go in training after graduation . . . ambition, to become a good nurse.

Dramatics Club 2, 3; Study Club 1, 4; Diversified Occupations 4.

#### RICHARD COLEMAN McLEOD

. . . favorite study, mathematics . . . after-graduation plans, N. C. State College . . . chief interest, engineering.

Marshal at Commencement 2, 3; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Club 2, 3; Drill Officer 2, 3; Homeroom Officer 2; Study Club 4.

#### JOHNNIE M. McNeill

. . . a likable fellow . . . grand dancer . . . interested in radio . . . good in business . . . likes working with plywood in veneer plant.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Military Club 2, 3; Diversified Occupations 4.

#### Moses Kenyon Millard, Jr.

... "Nick" . . . friendly to everybody . . . likes geometry and swimming . . , popular,

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Marshal at Commencement 3; Reporter High News 3, 4; Red Cross Representative 1; Won \$25 War Bond in V. F. W. Contest 2; Hi-Ways Staff 4.

#### CAROLYN ELIZABETH MIMS

Limestone College . . . wants to become an English teacher.

Red Cross Representative 1, 2; Refreshment Committee at Commencement 3; Vice-President Homeroom 3; Secretary Pro Tem 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### Anna Ruth Mixon

. . . favorite study, typing . . . ambition, to be a good secretary . . . Coker plans . . . commercial course.

President Homeroom 2; Vice-President Homeroom 3; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Girls' Chorus 1; Served at Junior-Senior 1; D. O. Secretarial Practice 4.

#### Paul Nalle Moore

. . . "Mo-Mo" . . . friendly personality . . . liked by everybody . . . crazy about hunting . . . college plans.

Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Red Cross Representative 2; Magazine Captain 4; Drill Officer 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4; Secretary Homeroom 1; Vice-President 4.

# SENIORS.

#### EUGENE H. Moses

. . . "Mose" . . . friendly . . . good looking . . . liked—by girls especially . . . attended Belmont Abbey.

Belmont Abbey: Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Block "A" 3, 4; Golf 3, 4.

#### ALFRED WASHINGTON MURRELL

. . . courteous . . . thoughtful of others . . . good student . . . grand sport.

Football 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Block "S" 3, 4; Secretary-Treasurer 3, 4; Homeroom President 3; Military Drill Captain 2, 3; Annual Staff 4; Dramatics Club 2, 4; Vice-President Hi-Y 4.

#### WILLIAM IRVIN NEWMAN

. . . "Bill" . . . favorite study, bookkeeping . . . plans to go to Furman . . . ambition, to become a C. P. A.

American Legion Baseball Team Manager 3; Football Team Manager 3; High News Staff 2; Y. M. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Club 4; Dramatics Club 4.

#### Doris Newman

. . . loves football and the beach . . . good student . . . Newberry College plans.

Marshal at Commencement 2: Dramatics Club 4: Assistant Headline Writer High News 3, 4: Glee Club 1, 2, 3: Annual Staff 4: Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4: Typist for High News 4.

#### CAROLINE JULIETTE NEWTON

. . . good student . . . likes algebra and typing . . . sweet and friendly.

Junior Red Cross 1, 2; High News Exchange Editor 3, 4; Homeroom Secretary 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; D. O. Secretarial Work 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4.

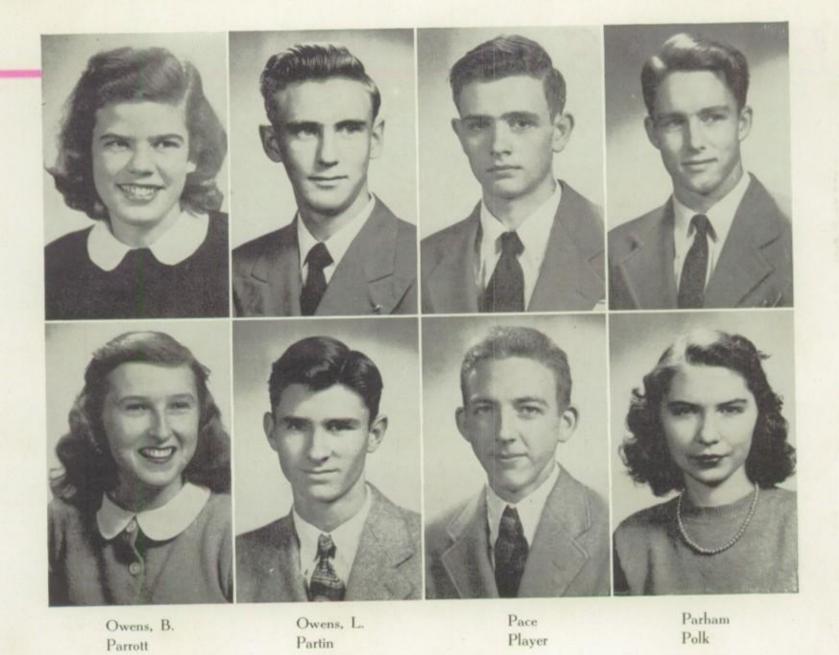
#### GEORGE NICHOLS

. . . quiet and efficient . . . favorite studies, French and English . . . favorite pastime, hunting and fishing . . . an okay fellow in every way.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Military Club 2, 3; Dramatics Club 4; Senior Play 4.

Moses Newman, D. Murrell Newton Newman, B. Nichols





#### BETTY LOUISE OWENS

. . . fine student . . . grand athlete . . . born actress . . . delightful friend.

High News 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Hi-Ways 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Commencement Speaker 4.

#### LADSON F. OWENS

... "Clem" ... fine student ... talented musician ... "the so-famous American actor" ... very attractive.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 3, 4; Block "S" 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Hi-Ways Staff 4.

#### DON R. PACE

fishing . . . a grand fellow . . . N. C. State plans . . . engineering and construction.

Marshal at Commencement 3: Dramatics Club 3, 4: High News Staff 1, 2: Hi-Ways Staff 4.

#### JAMES COVINGTON PARHAM, JR.

. . . "Poss" . . . athlete . . . scholar . . . leader . . . gentleman . . . superior in all.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4: Baseball 1, 3, 4: Secretary Class 1: Secretary-Treasurer Student Body 2: President 3, 4: Hi-Y 2, 3, 4: President S. C. Hi-Y Conference 4: Chief Marshal at Commencement 2, 3.

#### BLANCHE PARROTT

bookkeeping . . . heart's desire, to be a good housewife.

Marshal at Commencement 3: Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4: Diversified Occupations 4.

#### JAMES PARTIN

. . . favorite study, science . . . excels in baseball . . . air castle, to play Big League Baseball.

Baseball 2, 3, 4; Boys' 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; High News Representative 3; American Legion Baseball 3.

#### LITTLE DOW PLAYER

. . . "Little Dow" is a big tall fellow . . . air minded . . . fine student . . . wonderful trombonist . . . people like him.

Military Club 1, 2; High School Band 1, 2, 3, 4; High News Representative 2, 3; High School Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Sergeant in Band 4.

#### Anna Lou Polk

. . . likes social studies best . . . college plans . . . ambition, to prepare herself to be a missionary . . . true friend.

J. H. A. 3, 4; Assistant in Cafeteria 2, 3; Girls' Chorus 3, 4.

# SENIORS\_

#### ELEANOR POULOS

. . . petite brunette . . . pretty clothes . . . voice that is "sweet and low" . . . lovable.

Glee Club 1, 3; Dramatics Club 1, 2; J. H. A. 4; Basketball 2, 4; Athletic Association 2, 4.

#### HELEN WINTER POWELL

... "fair Helen" ... very small ... very quiet ... but a girl with lots of friends.

J. H. A. Club 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Reception Committee for Commencement 3.

#### ELIZABETH ANN PRESCOTT

. . . favorite study, home economics . . . good cook . . . good seamstress . . . in midterm Ann decided to put her theory into practice . . . married.

4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Assistant Treasurer 4-H Club 1: Treasurer 4; Girls' Chorus 3, 4,

#### BETTY JEAN PRITCHARD

. . . likes home economics . . . especially sewing . . . plans to be a business girl.

Served at Junior-Senior Banquet 1; Vice-President 4-H Club 3; Marshal at Commencement 2; Served at Banquet for Seniors 3; Girls' Chorus 1, 4; 4-H Club 3, 4.

#### THELMA PROCTOR

. . . good student . . . good athlete . . . ambition, to be a good stenographer.

Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; High News Representative 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Association 4.

#### RHIDONA REESE

. . . wonderful athlete . . . excellent student . . . delightful personality . . . a dark type of beauty that is very striking.

Board Member Girls Athletic Association 1, 2; Vice-President 3; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Annual Staff 4.

Poulos Pritchard

Powell Proctor Prescott Reese





#### ELISABETH REYNOLDS

... "Libba" ... lovely girl ... gorgeous soprano voice ... will major in music at Blue Mountain.

Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4; President Homeroom 1; Secretary 3; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Captain Magazine Sales 4; Ht-Ways Staff 4.

#### JOHN TOWNSEND RIVERS, JR.

... "Bud" ... popular athlete ... likes hunting and football and girls ... college plans.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Block "S" Club 3, 4; Lieutenant Military Drill 1, 2; Captain 3, 4; Treasurer Homeroom 3; Vice-President 2, 4; Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4.

#### DAN ROGERS, JR.

... likes shop work . . . favorite study is English literature . . . sports fan . . . courteous and friendly.

Military Drill Officer 1, 2, 3, 4; Military Club 1, 2, 3; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Diversified Occupations 3, 4; D. O. Assembly Program 3, 4.

#### THOMAS JAMES ROGERS

. . . "Tommy" . . . good student . . . likes to play football . . . plans to go to a business school.

Marshal at Commencement 2; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Study Club 4; Business Staff Annual 4.

#### WILLIAM ROBERT SAFFOLD

. . . big likable fellow . . . excels in football . . . college plans . . . wants to be a physical education instructor.

Football Team 3, 4; Block "S" Club 3, 4; Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### BETTY CAROL SHAW

. . . vivacious blonde with sea-green eyes . . . enjoys a good time . . . cute laugh . . . good in sports . . . plans to be a physical ed teacher.

Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary G. A. A. 1; President 4; Girls Sports Editor Hi-Ways 4; President Homeroom 3; Secretary of 116 Homeroom 4.

#### WILLIAM SHAW SHULER

... "Bill" ... good student ... fine athlete ... strong leader ... Clemson plans.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Block "S" 3, 4; Marshal at Commencement 2, 3; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Vice-President Student Body 3; Homeroom President 4; Senior Play 4; Business Staff Hi-Ways 4.

#### MABELENE SIMMONS

. . . favorite study, mathematics . . . likes to cook . . . left school in midterm to be married.
4-H Club 2, 3: J. H. A. 4.

#### RAY L. SMITH

. . . favorite study, chemistry . . . favorite recreation, hunting . . . chief interest, radio . . . plans to attend a radio school. Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Study Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### T. C. SMITH

. . . "T. C." . . . likes to hunt and to fish . . . interested in air conditioning and band . . . plans to go to U. S. C.

Lieutenant Drill 1; Captain 2; Lieutenant Military Club 1, 2: Band 1, 2, 3, 4: Lieutenant Band 3, 4: Baseball 2: Dramatics Club 4.

#### ARTHUR WILLARD SOUTHALL, JR.

. . . outstanding baseball player . . . ambition, to play professional baseball . . . P. C. plans.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 1; Vice-President 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; President 3, 4; Homeroom President 2.

#### PEARL LOUISE SPENCER

. . adorable . . . plans to be a nurse . . . wish, for light blue Buick convertible.

Editor-in-Chief High News 3, 4; Vice-President Class 2, 4; Treasurer 3; President Dramatics Club 4; Chief Marshal at Commencement 2, 3; Band 2, 3, 4; Hi-Ways Staff 4.

#### ANNE SPROTT

. likable girl . . . grand typist . . . good student . . . Winthrop plans.

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; High News Typist 4; HI-WAYS Typist 4.

#### Mason Stevenson

. . tall athlete . . . a smile you can count on . . . you will like Mason . . . everybody does . . . P. C. plans.

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 4; Block "S" Club 3, 4; Homeroom President 2: Homeroom Treasurer 4.

Smith, R. Spencer

Smith, T. C.

Southall





Thames Wadford

Thweatt Ward

Tisdale, Laura Waters

Tisdale, Louise Weathersbee

#### JACQUELINE THAMES

... "Jackie" ... favorite study, algebra ... favorite pastime, playing the piano ... lovely voice ... excellent typist ... office work.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Circulation Manager Sumter High News 3, 4; D. O. Commercial 4.

#### FRANK FITZGERALD THWEATT

... "Gerald" ... grand musician ... trumpet is his forte ... fine all-round fellow if there ever was one.

High School Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3, 4; High School Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Junior-Senior Entertainment Committee 3; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Class Prophecy 4.

#### LAURA RUTH TISDALE

. . . wonderful sense of humor . . . beautiful voice . . . charming girl.

Vice-President Homeroom 4; Treasurer 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Hockey 3; Dramatics Club 4; Magazine Captain 4; Captain Girls' Baseball Team 2; Board Member G. A. A. 3.

#### ALICE LOUISE TISDALE

. . . good student . . . happy disposition . . . favorite study, bookkeeping . . . excellent stenographer . . . after-graduation plans, office work.

Served at Junior-Senior 1; Secretary Homeroom 2; D. O. Commercial 4.

#### LAURIE DALE WADFORD

. . . hobby, aircraft . . . likes French and music . . . interested in law as a profession . . . law school plans.

High School Band 3, 4; Football Team "A" Squad 3, 4; Military Unit 1, 2; Sergeant 2; Hi-Y Club 4; Production Staff Senior Play 4; U. S. Naval Reserve 4.

#### EDNA ANN WARD

. . . diminutive musician and dancer . . . likes classical music and ballet dancing . . . after-graduation plans, college.

Chorus 2, 3; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Junior Red Cross Representative 3.

#### JOHN JAMES WATERS, JR.

. . . "J. J." . . . good all-round student . . . lazy laugh . . . likes sports . . . plays a good game.

Football Team Manager 2: Football 4: Marshal at Commencement 2: Block "S" 2, 3, 4: Basketball 3, 4: Secretary Class 3: High News Representative 3, 4: Dramatics Club 1, 2, 4: Hr-Ways Staff 4: Hi-Y 2, 3, 4: Senior Play 4.

#### VERNICE WEATHERSBEE

. . . "Boogie" . . . favorite study, English . . . good student . . . good actress . . . lovely voice . . . plans to be a nurse.

Dramatics Club 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1; Senior

#### MARTHA WHITE

. . . charming girl . . . Alabama transplant . . . favorite subject, English . . . favorite pastime, dancing and football games . . . hobby, collecting recipes for "hope" cook book. Slocomb, Alabama: Beta Club 1, 2; Dramatics Club 3. Sumter: Study Club 4; Junior Red Cross Representative 4.

#### Patricia Williams

. . . excellent student . . . wonderful actress . . . charming personality . . . beautiful black hair and blue eyes.

High News 1, 2, 3, 4; Associate Editor 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; President 3; Senior Play 4; Chairman Assembly Committee 4; President Homeroom 4; Annual Staff 4; Pepsi-Cola Scholarship Nominee 4.

#### CARL FLOYD WINECOFF

. . . easy-going, friendly, and likable . . . favorite entertainment, radio . . . booked for College of Charleston next year.

Military Unit 1, 2, 3, 4; Lieutenant in Military Drill 2; Marshal at Commencement 3; Basketball Team 4; Block "S" Club 4; Hi-Y Club 3, 4; Senior Play 4.

#### TED WRIGHT

. . . another of our veterans . . . Navy . . . Air Force . . . Squadron V P B 205 . . . Asiatic-Pacific Area . . . a fine fellow . . . a good friend.

Before entering the service Ted experienced the usual activities of building model airplanes, learning machinery, and taking part in military drill.

White

Williams



Winecoff

Wright





# WE WERE THE FIRST, and now, all who follow us

will "strike twelve" every time!

It happened to us four years ago-the blow. Our school went unquestionably and unalterably under the twelve-year system!

At that time we were just graduating from junior high school, and we had pictured Edmunds High as a sort of miracle that would enable us to realize all of our young dreams. Now, at the thought of an added year in high school, there came another picture, June 1, 1948, a kind of nightmare that mocked our old age as we hobbled across the stage, at last, to receive our diplomas.

That was four years ago.

June 1, 1948, came, and still "our hearts were young and gay."

We were proud to be the first twelfth grade graduates. The more difficult work had been more readily and clearly understood because the mind was more mature. The average student had done more thorough and self-satisfying work because it was unhurried by the press of time. All had gained a maturer outlook on life and an added self-confidence so necessary in business to those who were finishing school and so important in college to those who would be called upon to keep pace with other twelfth grade graduates, from all over the country, as each worked away in his chosen field.

"FREEDOM OF EDUCATION" Reading left to right: Mildred Inskeep, James Beaty, Patsy Williams.

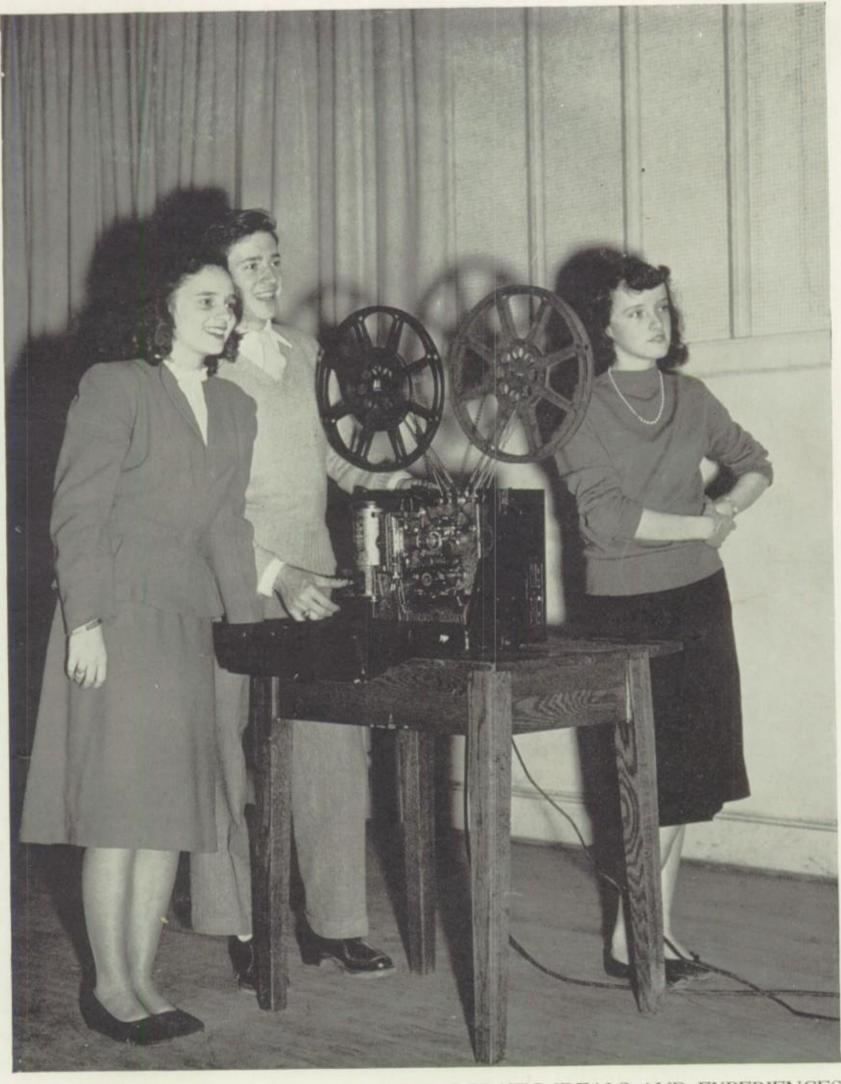


If the youth of America are to become the bulwark of her freedoms, all school activities should implant democratic ideals and provide democratic experiences in the lives of the students.

The more activities offered by a school, the better the chance to reach every individual through his own particular need, and the better the opportunity for leaders to become steeped in the American way of living through participation in more than one. A busy activity period, and happy, is a healthy sign for our future freedoms.



# ACTIVITIES



DEMOCRATIC IDEALS AND EXPERIENCES

# BOYS' SPORTS The National Game of America

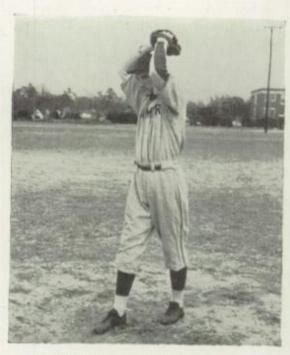
#### MITTS AND BATS 1947

The 1947 baseball Gamecocks had a most successful season although they did not successfully defend their 1946 title as AA State Champions.

The team, under the able tutelage of Coach H. N. Hutchinson, swept to nine victories against three defeats, winning over Hartsville, Darlington, Dreher and Bishopville twice each and over Columbia once, and losing once to Columbia and twice to the powerful North Charleston Blue Devils, who later swept to the AA State Championship by going undefeated throughout the entire season.

The starting lineup usually consisted of Captain Bruce Reynolds behind the plate, Richard Dwight or Jimmie Robinson at first, "Pedro" Martin at the keystone position, Alfred Murrell at the hot corner and Ellis Beard at short. In the outfield there were Kirby Jackson in right, big Jack Brunson in center and "Poss" Parham in left.

Sumter's able pitching staff was led by little Junior Southall, the Gamecocks' curve-ball artist. He was assisted in his chores by Wiley Lowder, "Spec" Brown, and left-hander Claude Pritchard, who was lost midway of the season due to an injury.



BRUCE REYNOLDS, Captain

When this write-up went to press, things were looking good for Coaches Larry Weldon and "Hutch" Hutchinson, as all but three men from last year's team were back and several promising rookies were on hand to fill these vacancies.

#### THE 1947 BASEBALL SQUAD

Front row, left to right: Alfred Murrell, Wiley Lowder, "Spec" Brown, "Poss" Parham, Arthur Southhall, Lester McDaniels, Jimmy Robinson. Back row, left to right: Storm Bailey, Bruce Reynolds, Kirby Jackson, Frank Martin, Jack Brunson, James Partin, Ellis Beard, Richard Dwight. Sitting in front: Charlie Timmons, bathoy.



# Under The Fall Floodlights Pigskins and Cleated Shoes



Coaches and Managers Confer

#### COACHES AND MANAGERS

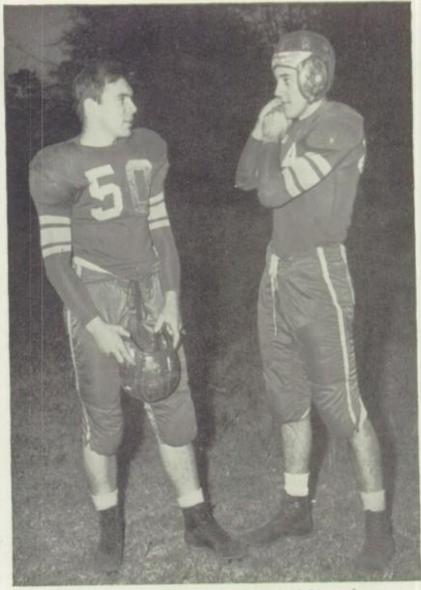
Left to right: Assistant Coach H. N. Hutchinson, Manager Freddie Heath, Coach Larry "Coon" Weldon, Manager Bert Jones, Manager Joe Ramsey.

# BILL BALDWIN AND RICHARD DWIGHT Co-Captains

Fullback Bill Baldwin was a star player throughout the season, with his steamroller line bucking and his bonesmashing tackling. He came through with the high score of 48 points to his credit.

Richard Dwight, at the end position, gave stellar performance in every game, with his uncanny pass snagging, his fine defensive play, and his cool head. D-wight was always there one hundred per cent.

These two boys in close cooperation led the 1947 Gamecocks through a highly successful season.



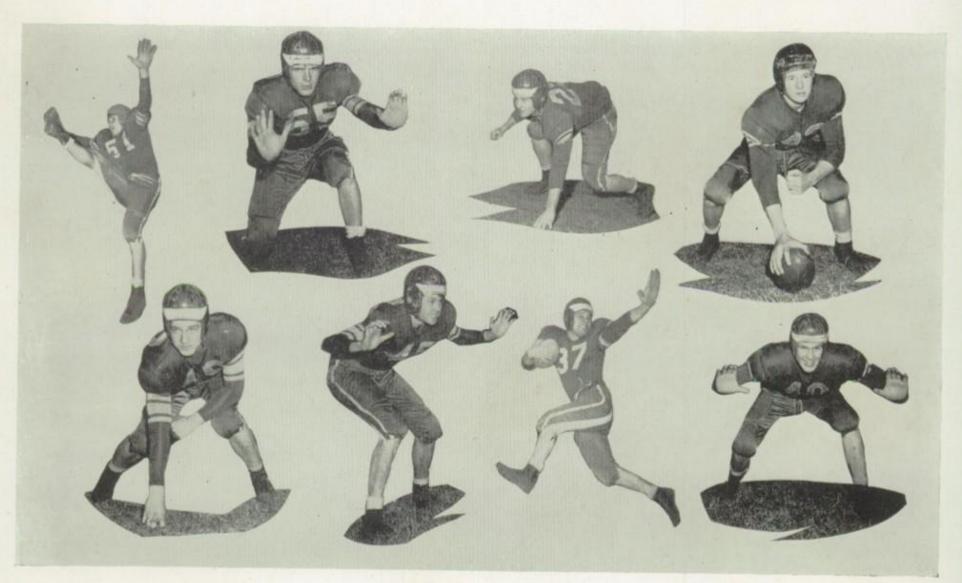
Co-Captains BILL BALDWIN (left) and RICHARD DWIGHT (right)

# Senior Players and



SPONSORS FOR SENIOR PLAYERS

Reading left to right: Sydney Huskey for Jack Chandler, June Bragg for Douglas Brunson, Betty Ray Evans for Alfred Murrell, Eleanor Curtis for Laurie Wadford, Beverly Bruce for Bobby Saffold, Peggy McCoy for J. J. Waters, Dot Lucas for Moscoe Johnson, Shirley Green for Ed Baker.



SENIOR PLAYERS

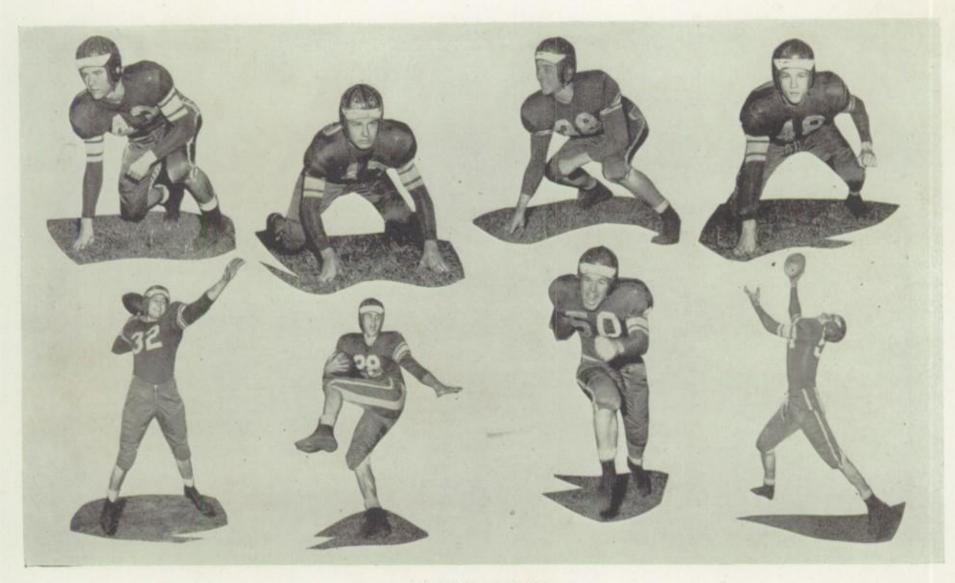
Top row, left to right: Jack Chandler, Back; Douglas Brunson, Tackle; Alfred Murrell, End; Laurie Wadford, Center. Bottom row, left to right: Bobby Saffold, Guard; J. J. Waters, End; Moscoe Johnson, Back; Ed Baker, Tackle.

# Their Sponsors



SPONSORS FOR SENIOR PLAYERS

Reading left to right: Nell Mitchell for Bill Herring, Betty Pitts for Bill Shuler, Caroline Upshur for Mason Stevenson, Pearl Spencer for Bud Rivers, Patsy Williams for "Poss" Parham, Gwyn Shelor for Kirby Jackson, Carol Shaw for Bill Baldwin. Lolly Evans, sponsor for Richard Dwight, was absent when the picture was taken.



SENIOR PLAYERS

Top row, left to right: Billy Herring. End; Bill Shuler, Guard; Mason Stevenson, Guard; Bud Rivers, Guard. Bottom row, left to right: "Poss" Parham, Back; Kirby Jackson, Back; Bill Baldwin, Back; Richard Dwight, End.

# The Whistle Blows



. . . the Cheerleaders Yell

Left to right: Frank Martin, Carol Shaw, Franz Johnson, Martha Ann Bessinger, Tommy Green, Mary Louise Bessinger, Cecil Kirby. Nell Mitchell was absent when the picture was taken. The water boy is Jack McCormic. After weeks of hard practice the Sumter Gamecocks opened their 1947 football season with a bang, by defeating the Lake City Auctioneers in a thrilling and hard-fought contest at the Fairgrounds Stadium, by the tune of 26 to 0.

The Gamecocks' dazzling "T" Formation plays and passing attack were too much for the Tobacco Town boys, with "Poss" Parham and Jack Chandler connecting up time after time with Kirby Jackson and Richard Dwight for long gains. Bill Baldwin did most of the line cracking behind the fighting Sumter linemen, Murrel, Baker, Saffold, Shuler, Rivers, Martin, Herring, Doug Brunson, and Robert Brunson.

Next came the Gamecocks' heartbreaking defeat at the hands of their long but friendly rivals, the Camden Bulldogs, by the slim margin of 6 to 0.

The teams had fought on an even basis throughout the entire contest until the opening minutes of the fourth quarter, when Gene Barmer, Camden's All-State halfback, took the ball on a triple reverse and raced thirty-seven yards for the only score of the game.

The lines of both teams deserve much credit for their play in this game, and they added greatly to the assets accumulated by both clubs during the fracas.

The following week, coaches Weldon and



. . . and the Band Plays

Leader, Betty Ray Evans. In front of majorettes: Pearl Spencer, Rhidona Reese. Majorettes, front to back: Madge Brunson, Frances Cuttino, Sylvia Campbell, Sydney Huskey. Band, first row, front to back: Mr. Girard, Ed Baker, Walsh Lucas, George Chokos, Dow Player. Second row: Robert Ariail, Kittie Keels, James Hurst, Gerald Thweatt. Third row: Sylvia Jo Brogdon, Ed Smith, Betty Dawes, Heyward Strong. Fourth row: Bobbie LeGrand, George Shipley, Marion Kennedy, Wayne Howell. Fifth row: Raymond Huggins, Anne McDonald, Russell McElveen, Bobby Phillips.



SUMTER DEFEATS CHARLESTON 20 TO 7

Top picture. Baldwin (with ball) gets off to a nice gain against Charleston. Others are Baker, No. 40; Frank Strange, No. 44 (on ground); Jackson, No. 28; Shuler, Robert Brunson, and "Poss" Parham on extreme left.

Bottom picture. Kirby Jackson scores against Charleston on a fast 40-yard run. Three unidentified Charleston players are behind him.

Hutchinson took their boys into the upstate, only to return defeated by the Gaffney High Cherokees 20 to 13.

Sumter scored in the first and third quarters with Garrison going through the line for the first, and Dwight snaring an aerial for the second. Chandler added the conversion.

Gaffney tallied in the second and fourth quarters due largely to the work of their flashy back, A. L. Curtis, and gigantic tackle, Harold Pridmore, who besides playing a good game in the line, added his team's conversions.

The following week the Gamecocks bounced back into the win column when they journeyed to Darlington to defeat the scrappy Blue Devils 25 to 13 before a small crowd of rain-drenched spectators.

Co-Captain Bill Baldwin scored two of the Gamecock tallies and Jackson and Dwight each had one to his credit. Jack Chandler's kicking was one of the high lights of the game, as was the running of Stokes and Dennis of Darlington.

The following week the terrible hammer of fate struck another decisive blow against the Gamecocks by letting them go down again in defeat at the hands of the undefeated Greenwood Emeralds 21 to 7.

Kirby Jackson accounted for Sumter's only touchdown on a screen pass. Jack Chandler was good for the extra point.

Sonny Horton, Hootie Johnson, and Cook were the tally makers for the Emeralds, with each scoring on spectacular plays.

The following week the Gamecocks, with the aid of a new spirit of determination, again returned to the win column by defeating the Charleston Bantams 20 to 7 before a small crowd of loyal fans.

Moscoe Johnson, Jack Chandler, and Kirby Jackson behind the fighting Sumter linemen scored for the Gamecocks, with Chandler also adding two extra points.

Charleston, with the aid of penalties and one long run scored in the fourth quarter.

The next game was the high light of the entire season, when the Gamecocks defeated the defending state champions, the Rock Hill Bearcats, 14 to 13, in Rock Hill.

Both Gamecock tallies came in the first half, due to their now-feared passing attack, with Jack Chandler doing most of the tossing. The first score came midway of the first quarter when Bud Rivers recovered a Bearcat fumble



THE 1947 FOOTBALL

In front, left to right: Assistant Coach H. N. Hutchinson, Coach Larry Weldon. Members of the squad. front Herring, End: Moscoe Johnson, Back: Jack Chandler, Back: Bud Rivers, Guard: Co-Captain Bill Baldwin, Back: Guard: Bill Shuler, Guard. Back row, left to right: Billy Timmons, Guard: Allen McDaniel, Back: Bobby Ardis, Center: Billy Upshur, End: Mason Stevenson, Guard: Ralph Dennis, Tackle: E. M. Watt, Back: LaVerne Hill, Back.

on the 50, and Chandler shoved a screen pass to Jackson, who raced to the promised land and six points behind good interference. The all important extra point was added by Jack Chandler.

At the opening of the second quarter the Gamecocks found opportunity waiting for them again and seized it after a host of Sumter linemen led by Baker. Saffold, Rivers, and Brunson broke through and recovered another Cat fumble. After several plays failed, Jack Chandler tossed an aerial into the waiting arms of Co-Captain Richard Dwight in the end zone for six points. Then the play that spelled victory for the Gamecocks came when Chandler kicked the extra point.

Rock Hill did not score in the first half but began to go to work in the two remaining quarters, with their first score coming in the third quarter after it had been set up by several long runs by Neely, Dickerson and Jackson and a pass interception. Dickerson accounted for the score, but the extra point failed,

The final Bearcat score came in the last

quarter, when Dickerson passed to Gettys of Rock Hill in the end zone. Dickerson also added the extra point on a line buck.

Then came the worst defeat of the season for the Gamecocks, when the powerful North Charleston Blue Devils came to town and trampled the Gamecocks by the large score of 34 to 0.

The Devils continued their victorious march after leaving Sumter and went undefeated for the entire season. They were later declared champions of the two Carolinas and Georgia.

The next week the Gamecocks got back into the win column to stay, when they defeated the Orangeburg High Indians in a battle of "T" Formations, 28 to 0, in Orangeburg.

Bill Baldwin accounted for two of the Gamecock touchdowns, and Kirby Jackson and Moscoe Johnson each had one to his credit. Jack Chandler, despite the wet condition of the playing field, made all four conversions, with the help of the Sumter line, which was now playing as they had been expected to play for the entire season.



SQUAD AND COACHES

row, left to right: Kirby Jackson, Back; "Poss" Parham, Back; J. J. Waters, End; Laurie Wadford, Center; Billy Co-Captain Richard Dwight, End; Ed Baker, Tackle; Alfred Murrell, End; Douglas Brunson, Tackle; Bobby Saffold, Back; Perry Weinberg, Tackle; Gilbert Bradham, Back; Hugh McLaurin, Guard; Frank Strange, End; Robert Brunson,

The Gamecocks returned home the following week and tasted victory again when they defeated the Anderson High eleven 19 to 0 before a fairly large sized crowd at the local stadium.

Then the following Wednesday, which was Thanksgiving Eve, came the long-awaited battle of arch rivals when the Florence Yellow Jackets came to town, only to return to the Pee Dee city with another defeat, of 20 to 0, making it 18 years in a row that the Florentines have failed to emerge victorious from a contest with Sumter.

The line play of both teams was outstanding, but the Gamecock forwards showed superiority throughout. This fact along with the famous Gamecock aerial attack were the main factors in the victory.

Baldwin, Jackson, and Chandler were the TD-makers for Sumter with all three scoring on beautifully executed "T" Formation plays. Chandler also added the two extra points.

This victory brought to a close the football season of 1947 for Edmunds High, in a grand style. Despite their losses and their mistakes, which were few, the Gamecocks had a hard fighting and clean team and two of the finest coaches anywhere. They placed Jack Chandler in the Shrine Game at Charlotte, N. C.

#### THE SEASON'S SCORES

OPPONENT	SUMTER OPPO	NENT
Lake City	26	)
Camden	0	)
Gaffney	13 20	)
Darlington	25 12	1
Greenwood	Table 1	
Charleston	20 7	1
Rock Hill		3
North Charleston		1
Orangeburg		)
Anderson		)
Florence		)
Totals	172 113	3

# On the Hardwood Court



#### CAPTAIN CHANDLER

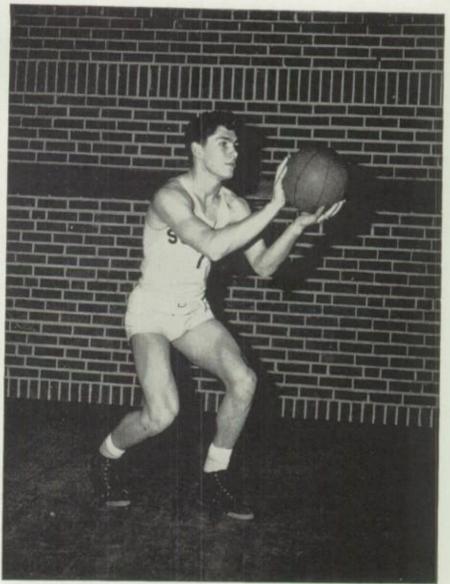
Known and feared throughout the state for his superior play on the basketball court was Jack Chandler, captain of the Sumter Gamecocks during the past season.

He led the '47-'48 cagers to the highest peak this year, the winning of the South Carolina Class AA Basketball Tournament, and was always one of the top scorers himself.

At the end of the season, Jack was placed on the All-State Team for the third consecutive year.

### COACH AND MANAGER

After a hard day during the tournament, Myron DeBerry, Manager, rests, while Coach H. N. Hutchinson stands and "tells" him what his next chores will be.



JACK CHANDLER, Captain

## GAMECOCKS WIN STATE CLASS AA BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Sumter High School Basketeers concluded their 1947-48 basketball season by winning 13 out of 14 games in interscholastic competition.

This season was the best season the Game-cocks have had in several years, with Captain Jack Chandler, Bill Baldwin, Richard Dwight, Kirby Jackson, and Laddie Owens making up a hard-fighting and winning team. Much credit should be given to the Birds' second string, who saw much action and backed up the first stringers throughout the season. (The season's scores follow the detailed account of the tournament games.)

At the end of the regular season came the South Carolina Class AA Invitational Basketball Tournament.

In the opening game, on February 25, the Camden Bulldogs pulled a big upset by defeating the much-favored Dreher Blue Devils 31 to 28.

In the second game of the afternoon, Bishop England took an easy victory over the Conway Green Waves, 43 to 16.

The first game Thursday night saw Spartanburg take an easy win over the Yellow Jackets of Florence, 43 to 21.

Sumter and Greenwood ended the first round of the tournament with Sumter on top, 35 to 26. It was a close game until the last quarter, when the Gamecocks went ahead with the point-making of Jack Chandler and Kirby Jackson.

In the first game Friday night, Camden was downed by a hard-fighting Bishop England five

The Gamecocks ran over the Spartanburg Red Birds in the semi-finals Friday night by the score of 44 to 25. Sumter sharpshooters were Chandler and Owens.

Spartanburg won a close contest over Camden Saturday night to take the consolation, 39 to 29.

In the final game of the tournament Saturday night, between Sumter and Bishop England, Sumter played their best game of the year and emerged victorious. This game was a thriller and had the spectators on the edge of their seats from beginning to end. The Gamecocks took an early lead, but the Bishops came up to tie the score 9 all at the end of the first quarter.

The first half ended with the scoreboard reading 20 to 17 in favor of the Bishops. However, the Gamecocks came back fighting, and with Baldwin, Broadwell, and Dwight feeding them the ball, Chandler, Jackson, and Owens steadily swished the meshes to ring up the close score of 32 to 28.

Four of Sumter's players made the All-Tournament team. Kirby Jackson, Jack Chandler, and Laddie Owens made places on the first team, and Bill Baldwin placed on the second. Johnny LaTorre and Billy McPherson made up the rest of the first team.

#### SEEN IN THE DREHER GAME

Jackson (No. 3) sinks one for two points in a thrilling game with the Dreher Blue Devils, which resulted in a 34-29 victory for the Sumter Gamecocks. Other Sumter players coming in for the rebound are Bill Baldwin (No. 5) and Jack Chandler (partially hidden).





THE '47-'48 BASKETBALL SQUAD

Front row, left to right: Bill Baldwin, Laddie Owens, Jack Chandler, Bobby Broadwell, Kirby Jackson. Back row, left to right: Ed Hartin, Richard Dwight, Wilson Jarmon, Bill Cockerill, J. J. Waters, Billy Herring, Carl Winecoff.

This marked the first year that the Game-cocks had emerged the champions since the Tournament began in 1944. They advanced to the finals twice but lost to Charleston in 1944 and to Greenville in 1947.

After the game, the Galloway and Moseley Championship Trophy was presented to Captain Jack Chandler, who received it in behalf of his team. Individual awards went to Kirby Jackson of Sumter, best offensive player; Sid Sellars of Bishop England, best free throw artist; and Billy McPherson of Bishop England, best defensive player and player showing the most sportsmanship during the tournament. Gold basketballs were given to the champions and silver ones to the runners-up. Thus ended the very successful 1947-1948 basketball season, with the Gamecocks coming through in gala style.

### THE SEASON'S SCORES

OPPONENT	Su	MTER	OPPONENT
Shaw Field		43	40
Camden		36	21
Bishopville		36	23
Bishopville		30	23
Shaw Field		22	33
Columbia	*******	37	
Rock Hill		25	21
Rock Hill		39	16
		- 4	13
Dreher		54	29
		43	52
	*******	54	39
Columbia		51	16
Dreher		34	29
Darlington			31
Chicora		69	19
Florence		40	24
Greenwood*		35	26
Spartanburg*		44	25
Bishop England*		32	28
Totals	78	84	508
		. A.	300

<sup>\*</sup> Denotes games played in the Tournament.

# GIRLS' INTRAMURAL SPORTS



GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

Seated in front, left to right: Miss Jane Bell, Director; Carol Shaw, President. Standing in back, left to right: Patricia Logan, Secretary; Marylu Shaw, Vice President; Betty Owens, Senior Board Member.

The president of the G. A. A. is chosen from the senior class, the vice-president from the junior class, the secretary from the sophomore class, and the treasurer from the freshman class. A board member is chosen from each class. These officers appoint committees and determine the points earned by individuals for participation in athletics. Numerals and block letters are awarded according to the number of points. At the end of the year, the Galloway and Moseley trophy is presented to the student who has acquired the greatest number of points during her four years of high school.



A HARD PRACTICE FOR A HOCKEY MATCH

Left to right: Laura Ruth Tisdale, Carol Shaw, Doris Newman, Rhidona Reese, Sarah Hudson, Cecile Kolb, Betty Owens, Margaret Hinson, Earline Brown, Sibyl McMillan, Mary Ann Curtis, Miss Bell, Director.



SENIOR HOCKEY SQUAD

Left to right: Sarah Hudson, Doris Newman, Laura Ruth Tisdale, Cecile Kolb (seated), Rhidona Reese, Betty Owens, Carol Shaw (seated), Merle DeBerry.

The seniors were the only class to have a full team participating in the hockey tournament this year. The other team was made up of students from the three lower classes. The seniors won by a close score of 3 to 1. Varsity letters were awarded to a number of students at the end of the season, and this recognition influenced other girls to come out for basketball, who otherwise would not have done so.

# Hockey in Autumn



SENIORS SHAPE UP FOR CHAMPIONSHIP BATTLE

In center, left to right: Miss Bell, Carol Shaw, Billie Haddon. Others, from left, clockwise: Merle DeBerry, Betty Owens, Jackie Fulmer, June Bragg, Catherine D'Ambra, Betty Bradham, Betty Ray Evans, Rhidona Reese, Betty Jean Pritchard, Laura Ruth Tisdale, Doris Newman, Anna Lee Campbell, Eleanor Bridgman, Cecile Kolb.



SENIOR BASKETBALL SQUAD

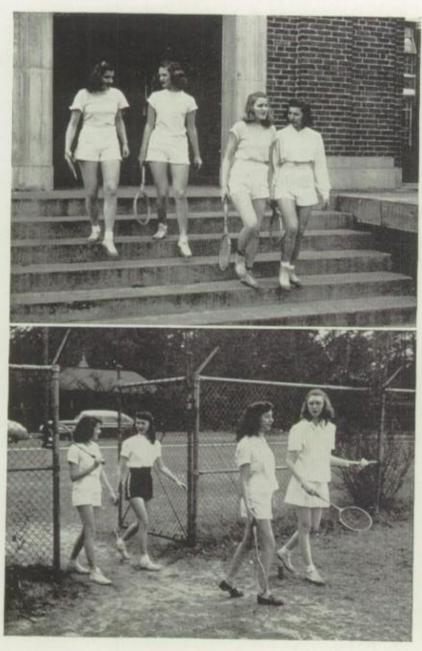
Front row, left to right: Billie Haddon, Merle DeBerry, Catherine D'Ambra, Carol Shaw, Cecile Kolb, June Bragg, Betty Owens, Doris Newman. Back row, left to right: Anna Lee Campbell, Eleanor Bridgman, Betty Jean Pritchard, Betty Bradham, Miss Jane Bell (Coach), Jackie Fulmer, Betty Ray Evans, Rhidona Reese, Laura Ruth Tisdale.

Basketball ranked at the top among this year's sports for girls. An enthusiastic crowd of seniors came out for it, and, as in the other competitive sports, they won the season's champion-ship, the final score being 23 to 11 in their favor, over the freshmen.

# Basketball in Winter

# SPRING SPORTS

Spring sports this year included tennis, badminton, softball, and archery for the outdoors on fine days, and ping-pong and basketball for indoor recreation in bad weather. The girls met two afternoons a week for practice. A chairman and team captains were chosen for each sport. Only those who attended the required number of practices, according to the G. A. A. rules, would be eligible for the intramural tournament, which had not been played when this write-up went to press. It promised to be good, however, judging by the interest and enthusiasm of the many girls from all of the classes that simply swarmed out for spring sports.



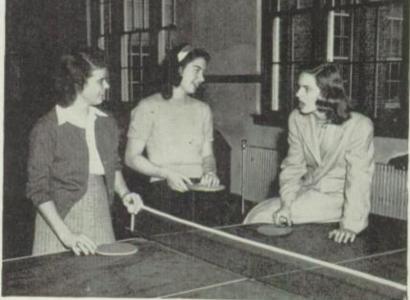
#### TENNIS

In the top picture we see girls leaving the gymnasium to go cut for a game of tennis. These girls are, left to right: Billie Haddon, Sarah Hudson, Carol Shaw, Betty Ray Evans.

#### BADMINTON

The bottom picture shows girls coming through the gate on their way to the badminton court. They are, left to right: Cecile Kolb, Jackie Fulmer, Catherine D'Ambra, Anne Sprott.



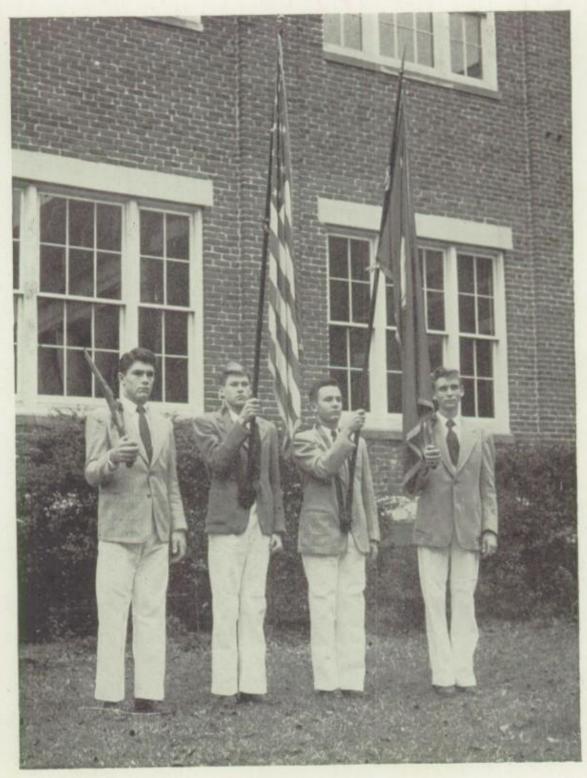


#### SOFTBALL

The girls in the top picture are ready, with bat and ball, for a game of their favorite softball. They are, left to right: Merle DeBerry, Doris Newman, Laura Ruth Tisdale.

#### PING-PONG

The ping-pong table, in the bottom picture, is set up in the gym foyer. The girls in the picture are, left to right: Betty Owens, Rhidona Reese, Mildred Inskeep.



THE COLORS

Left to right: Jack Chandler, J. J. Waters, Bill Shuler, Lad Owens.

# On the Parade Grounds

Three hours a week, during activity period, the boys of Edmunds High participate in military drill. This year drill was under the supervision of Mr. Larry Coker, a former major in the United States Army.

The purpose of this military drill is to give the boys a general idea of what military training is like and to teach them the fundamentals of close order drill. It also teaches leadership and discipline.

This year the boys were divided by classes into four companies. All officers for the organization came from the senior class, the high non-commissioned officers from the junior class, and squad leaders and guides from the sophomore class. Freshmen were privates.

# Military Staff and Commissioned Officers



THE MILITARY STAFF

Reading left to right: Bill Baldwin, Battalion Commander: Frank Martin, Executive Officer; Mr. L. W. Coker, Commandant: Gilbert Bradham, Sergeant Major.



THE COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First row, left to right: Captains Billy Herring, Bill Shuler, John Rivers, Kirby Jackson. Second row, left to right: First Lieutenants Carl Goodwin, James Beaty, Jack Jones, Dickie Edwards, Lonzo Elliott, Joe Heriot, Nick Millard. Third row, left to right: Second Lieutenants Paul Moore, Ed Hartin, Bill Newman, Earl Chrisawn, Elisha Craig.

# Clubs

### CHARACTER AND SPORTSMANSHIP



### HI-Y CLUB

SENIOR MEMBERS

Presiding, Tony Bowman, President, Seated around table, left to right: Bill Shuler, "Poss" Parham, George Chokos, Bill Baldwin, Alfred Murrell, Lad Owens, Seated around room, left to right: Kirby Jackson, Ed Hartin, Joe Heriot, Billy Herring, Earl Chrisawn. Standing, left to right: Jack Chandler, Bill Newman, Carl Goodwin, Gerald Thweatt, Walsh Lucas, George Nichols, Lonzo Elliott, Jack Jones, Paul Moore, Lad Boyle.

Of the many clubs and other organizations of Edmunds High School the Hi-Y is significant in its being the only out-and-out Christian organization for high school boys. Membership is confined to juniors and seniors. The objective of the club is to "create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character."

During the summer, club members operated a concession three nights a week, at softball games, to raise money, a part of which went to the World Youth Fund for the rebuilding of Y. M. C. A. facilities.

Delegates from this club were sent to the State Hi-Y Older Boys' Conference, and a representative from Sumter attended the National Conference that was held in Grenell, Iowa, last June.

## BLOCK "S"

SENIOR MEMBERS

First row, left to right: Doug Brunson, Ed Baker, Frank Martin, Bud Rivers, Billy Herring, Bill Shuler, Alfred Murrell. Second row, left to right: Bill Baldwin, Ed Hartin, Kirby Jackson, Jack Chandler, Lad Owens, Bill Cockerill, Richard Dwight. Third row, left to right: Coach Weldon, Mason Stevenson, Bobby Saffold, J. J. Waters, Moscoe Johnson, Laurie Wadford, "Poss" Parham.



The Block "S" is more or less a social organization of the "S" wearers of the school. Since most of the members wished to join the dramatics club for the regular club period, the group decided to hold all "S" meetings in the evening, with a banquet at the end of each major sport season. The chief objective of the club is good sportsmanship.

# Clubs

### PRODUCTION AND HOMEMAKING



### F. F. A.

Front group, around table, left to right: Junior Southall (presiding), Roy Chandler, Reginald Goodman, Billy Mitchell, Red McDaniels, Charles Galloway, Bobby Batten, Alvin Burns, L. E. Scott, Russell Hatfield, James Davis, Lee Lowder, Wilfred Lowder, Claude Pritchard, Bobby Mitchell, Ray Nicholes, James Kolb, Leonard Prescott, Homer Morris, Jimmy Brunson, Stanley DuBose, Jimmy Driggers. Second row, left to right: Dean Geddings, Joe Kirven, Charles Mixon, DeWitt Geddings, Billy Mathis, Melvin Brown, Hal Salisbury, J. T. Russell, Back row, left to right: Amos Baker, Billy Goodson, Elliott Scurry, Tommy Thames, Charles Parker, Clinton Ford.

The Future Farmers of America is the national organization of, by, and for farm boys studying vocational agriculture in public secondary schools. High school departments of vocational agriculture provide three-year courses of systematic instruction in agriculture and farm mechanics. Instruction is followed up throughout the year by supervision of the farming projects of students on their home farms. The average age of F. F. A. members is seventeen years. The objectives of the club are to improve agriculture and to develop agricultural cooperation and leadership.



### BOYS' 4-H

Front row, left to right: Junior Southall, Burgess Hair, Reginald Goodman (presiding). Second row: Roy Chandler, Billy Stafford, Charles Marshall, Leonard Prescott, Third row: Alvin Burns, Wayne Johnson, Russel Hatfield. Fourth row: L. E. Scott, J. D. Hodge, Tommy Thames, Fifth row: Maurice Martin, Bobby Mitchell, Wilfred Lowder, Billy Mitchell, Charles Galloway, Clifton Johnson, DeWitt Geddings, Dreyfus Brunson, Charles Parker, Bobby Stafford, Claude Pritchard, James Kolb, Lester McDaniels, Woodrow Brown. Back row: Mr. Alston (Sponsor), Bobby Batten, Jackie Mooneyhan, Melvin Brown, McBride Dabbs, Amos Baker, Dean Geddings, Clinton Ford.

This was another group of young farmers, whose practical work was on the production line of cattle, hogs, and various crops, such as corn, peanuts, and potatoes.



### J. H. A.

#### SENIOR MEMBERS

The girls in this picture have just completed a unit in flower arrangement. They are, left to right: Doris June, Eleanor Poulos, Dot Fowler.

The Junior Homemakers Association had a membership of sixty girls in Edmunds High School this year. To be eligible for membership, one must have at least one year of home economics. The club had monthly meetings, in which programs pertaining to home economics were presented. These programs were designed to teach, in an impressive way, such units as cooking, sewing, interior decoration, upholstering, and planning and serving meals.

### GIRLS' 4-H

#### SENIOR MEMBERS

This picture shows girls taking the 4-H pledge. They are, left to right: Carol Chandler (administering the pledge), Betty Pritchard, Anna Lee Campbell, Carolyn Holladay, Ruth Mixon.



The Girls' 4-H club of Edmunds High had a large membership coming from the four classes of the school. These girls worked together on interesting projects pertaining to homemaking, such as gardening, chicken and egg production, buying, budgeting, preserving, and conserving. Miss Alice Jordan, the county home demonstration agent, led the girls in their work this year.

# Clubs

### FINE ARTS AND GENERAL CULTURE



## ARTS AND CRAFTS

**EXHIBIT** 

This picture shows a part of the Education Week art exhibit. Students in the picture, left to right: Carl Goodwin, Allene Bland, Billy Upshur, Mildred Craft.

Posters, large and small, for all occasions, County Fair booth and Education Week exhibits of house plans and models, basketry, drawing, painting, stage settings, decorating for banquets and receptions, all of these and many more showed the fine hand of the art department of Edmunds High School.

## LIBRARY CLUB

Left to right: Betty Anne Boyce, Mattie Jean Hodge, Betty Owens, Doris Newman, Eleanor Bridgman, Catherine Wilson, Bill Cockerill, Rhidona Reese, Rhetta Blanding,

The Library Club was organized this year in Edmunds High. The purposes of the club are to stimulate a greater interest among the students in libraries and library service, to stimulate reading interests, and to improve the library service of the school. During the past year the activities included training for library assistants. Mrs. Alva Pringle, the librarian, was sponsor for this promising young club.







## DRAMATICS CLUB

SENIOR MEMBERS

Top Picture. First row, left to right: Neil Harmon, Kathryn Gentry, Mildred Inskeep, Ed Baker, Richard Dwight, Bill Baldwin (speaking). Second row: June Bragg, Eleanor Curtis, Janet Brunson, Eleanor Bridgman, Margaret Amerson, Betty Bradham, Mildred Craft. Third row: Jackie Fulmer, Nick Fowler, Bobby Elmore, Lonzo Elliott, Earl Chrisawn, Elisha Craig, Tony Bowman, George Chokos. Fourth row: Dot Hatfield, Wayne Howell, Carl Goodwin, Billie Haddon, Betty Ray Evans, Merle DeBerry, Dickie Edwards. Fifth row: Jack Chandler, Sydney Huskey, Billy Herring, Ed Hartin.

Bottom Picture. First row, left to right: Walsh Lucas, Laura Tisdale, Martha White, Doris Newman, Pearl Spencer (speaking). Second row: Rhidona Reese, Elizabeth Reynolds, Gwenelle Johnson, Patsy Williams, Carol Shaw. Third row: Anne Sprott, Vernice Weathersbee, Catherine D'Ambra, Thelma Proctor, Juliette Newton, Cecile Kolb, Betty Owens. Fourth row: Don Pace, Mason Stevenson, Gerald Thweatt, Alfred Murrell, "Poss" Parham, Bill Shuler. Fifth row: Gene Moses, Laddie Owens, Bill Newman, Paul Moore, J. J. Waters.

As a club for entertainment as well as for valuable art, the dramatics club easily takes first place in Edmunds High. The membership this year was around two hundred fifty.

Besides the plays presented at their regular club meetings, which were held twice a month, in the auditorium, these young players gave occasional productions for the entire school. The Girl from Brazil, for example, was presented at assembly on Pan-American Day. Once a year, too, a full-length, three-act play is given in the evening, to meet club expenses and to add to equipment. This year the evening play was a mystery, which drew an audience of about nine hundred people.

Production staffs for all of these performances receive as much valuable training, in their field, as the actors and actresses themselves.

# "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay"

### THE SENIOR CLASS PLAY

Cornelia Otis Skinner and Emily Kimbrough save up their money to take a trip to Europe. They are nineteen. On the ship they have an exciting adventure with a stowaway, mistake the leader of the ship's band for an admiral, and meet two handsome young medical students. As the ship is nearing port, Cornelia feels sick. The medical students diagnose the trouble—measles. It requires all of Cornelia's make-up skill to get by the inspection. In Paris, they sleep in a bed that Cardinal Richelieu once slept in, and they try to persuade a great French actor to give them acting lessons.

After a lovely summer, they leave Paris for home, with a twinge of sadness at the thought that it's all over and they will never be nineteen again.



#### A SCENE FROM THE PLAY

Emily Kimbrough dances and Cornelia Otis Skinner recites for Monsieur de la Croix.

Left to right: Betty Owens, playing Emily; Mildred Craft, playing Cornelia; Dickie Edwards, playing Monsieur de la Croix.



PLAYING IN "OUR HEARTS WERE YOUNG AND GAY"

Left to right: Vernice Weathersbee, playing Madame Elise; Cecile Kolb, Thérèse; Betty Ray Evans, Inspector; Elizabeth Reynolds, Harriet St. John; Sydney Huskey, Winifred Blaugh; Jack Chandler, Leo McEvoy; Tony Bowman, Dick Winters; Mildred Craft, Cornelia Otis Skinner; Betty Owens, Emily Kimbrough; Patsy Williams, Mrs. Skinner; Lad Owens, Otis Skinner; Catherine D'Ambra, Stewardess: Bill Shuler, Window Cleaner; George Nichols, Steward; Gerald Thweatt, Admiral; Carl Winecoff, Purser; Dickie Edwards, Monsier de la Croix.

# PUBLIC SPEAKING



TONY BOWMAN

The boys and girls in high school today have many opportunities to speak before audiences, large or small.

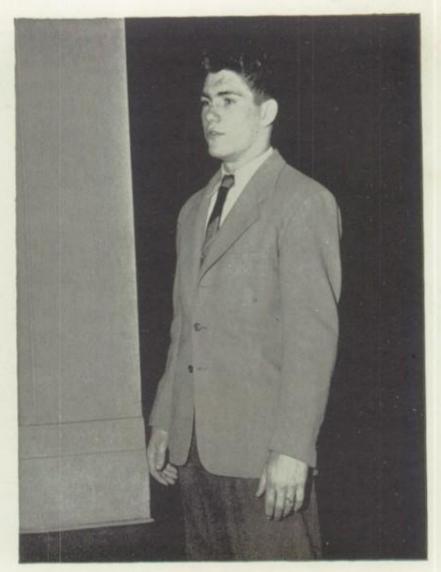
In Edmunds High School students are called upon to take part in panel discussions, to speak over public address, to appear on radio programs, and to take charge of assemblies. In a limited way, they participate in the affairs of the school through homeroom discussions and student council debate. At election time all candidates for school offices make campaign speeches.

This year Tony Bowman, Lad Boyle, and Jack Chandler entered the American Legion Oratorical Contest. They wrote and delivered speeches on the Constitution, which was an excellent experience for them. Jack won the school, district, and area contests.

The commencement speeches, on the future security of our freedoms, were also written by the students and delivered on graduation night to a packed house.



LAD BOYLE



JACK CHANDLER

# ASSEMBLY PROGRAMS

#### PLAYS

During Education Week this year an American History group presented at assembly a play, "Beachhead for Freedom," setting forth the hopes and ideals of the postwar world. "The Girl from Brazil," a dramatics club production, was given on Pan-American Day. This play emphasized the importance of good will toward our neighboring Americans.

#### Music

The Thanksgiving and Christmas programs were the two religious programs of the year. Those were largely musical since music is most suitable for a sacred program. There were also a band concert and a concert by the mixed chorus, both of which came in the spring.

#### SPEAKERS

Cedric Foster, the noted news commentator,

was one of our assembly speakers again this year. He emphasized the fact that our only security was of the brain, and that we must understand issues and act in unity to protect freedom and liberty. John J. Riley, U. S. Congressman, was another. He gave the students a better understanding of our national affairs, by answering questions and commenting on topics raised.

#### Miscellaneous

Besides these, there were literary programs, such as the delightful library program pictured below, and programs showing the work of the various departments of the school, as well as a few of a lighter vein, all of them highly enjoyable.



THE TRAGEDY OF MACBETH

"Lo, you, here she comes! This is her very guise; and, upon my life, fast asleep. Observe her; stand close."

Left to right: Eleanor Curtis, playing the Waiting-Gentlewoman; J. J. Waters, the Doctor; Janet Brunson, Lady Macbeth.

## BAND CONCERT

Assembly, January 30, 1948

My Hero, from The Chocolate SoldierStrauss
The Whiffenpoof SongYoder
Le Secret
Second Minuet de L'Arlasienne
Polonaise Militaire
Lullaby
Introduction to the Third Act, from Lohengrin
Victory Overture



### THE ADVENTURES OF TOM SAWYER

"Does a boy get a chance to whitewash a fence every day?"

Reading the book, left to right: Richard McLeod, Myron DeBerry, T. C. Smith.

Out of the book, left to right: Tommy Green, playing Tom Sawyer; Joe Ramsey, "Steamboat" Ben Rogers; Gene Broadway, Jim, the colored boy.

# Music

### CHORUS, GLEE CLUB, BAND



#### GIRLS' CHORUS

In front, Miss Hanna Lou Dargan, Director. First row, left to right: Margie Young, Clara Powell, Rhoda Richardson, Lucille Madray, Betty Hodge, Rosetta King, Laura Ruth Tisdale. Anna Lee Campbell, Mildred Foxworth, Mattie Hodge, Bunnie Brogdon, Emily Johnson, Vernice Weathersbee, Betty Pritchard, Elizabeth Reynolds, Joann McCoy, Doris June, Betty Jean Reynolds. Second row: Betty Barkley, Louise Carroway, Betty Horton, Mary Curtis, Carol Shaw, Kathryn Lewis, Lizzie Johnson, Evelyn Watts, June Phillips, Earline Brown, Annie Baker, Janet Hammond, Jane Curtis, Stella Weeks, La Verne Geddings, Elizabeth Hinson, Joyce Spigner, Lucy Hook, Rhetta Blanding. Third row: Joyce Oglesbee, Mary Martin, Carol Chandler, Jean Reynolds, Carolyn Guess, Loren Lacewell, Ruby Hodge, Ruth Rodgers, Lora Etta Campbell, Frances Nichols, Helen Thomas, Betty Brunson, Elizabeth Ulmer, Martha Davis, Mary McIntosh, Thetis Mitchum, Janet Aycock, pianist.

#### GIRLS' CHORUS AND BOYS' GLEE CLUB

The Girls' Chorus is composed of more than sixty members, who are interested in singing good music.

This year the chorus took part in several assembly programs. The outstanding performance of the year was their Christmas Cantata, in which the nine boys who make up the Boys' Glee Club participated, creating the mixed chorus.

The boys in the Glee Club did splendid work this year. They were called upon to sing in church and elsewhere outside of school on a number of occasions.

Both clubs met three times a week for practice. Their program of music was broad. It included singing, study of music appreciation, and music theory.

#### THE BAND

The marching band of Edmunds High School played for all of the football games in Sumter and for many of the out-of-town games. It had the honor of leading all of the local parades, such as the Iris Festival, and Shaw Field Anniversaries. It accepted several out-of-town invitations, winning honorable mention in a parade of bands from all over the state.

The concert band, with thirty-six members, plays for all assembly programs and for all other entertainments pertaining to school activities, such as the Senior Play, the Junior-Senior, and the Spring Festival. This band gave during the school year two one-hour concerts at assembly, which were thoroughly enjoyed by both the school and a host of visitors.

# PIANO



BETTY RAY EVANS, Piano

Betty Ray studied piano under the direction of Mrs. J. S. Buck. During her four years in high school, she played in a number of recitals, was called on to furnish music for local clubs on quite a few occasions, and took part in several musical radio programs. She was also one of the pianists at Trinity Methodist Church. Betty Ray plans to major in music—piano and pipe organ—at Limestone College.

## SENIOR MEMBERS OF THE BAND



#### MAJORETTES AND FLAG BEARERS

Left to right: Rhidona Reese, Flag Bearer; Sydney Huskey, Majorette; Betty Ray Evans, Drum Majorette; Pearl Spencer, Flag Bearer.



#### TRUMPETS, CLARINET, SAXOPHONE

Left to right. Gerald Thweatt, Trumpet; Lad Owens, Trumpet; Wayne Howell. Clarinet; George Chokos, Saxophone.



#### TROMBONES, BARITONE, BASS

Left to right: Lauric Dale Wadford, Trombone: Dow Player, Trombone; Walsh Lucas, Baritone; Ed Baker, Bass.



KITTIE KEELS, Trumpet ANNE McDONALD, Trumpet



BILLIE HADDON Glockenspiel



T. C. SMITH Snare Drums



THE HIGH SCHOOL BAND

First row, left to right: Rhidona Reese, Madge Brunson, Sylvia Campbell, Betty Ray Evans, Mr. Girard, Sydney Huskey, Pearl Spencer, Second row: James Connelly, Robert Ariail, Marion Kennedy, Russel McElveen, Betty Dawes, Virginia Baker, Milton Moise, George Shipley, Third row: Wayne Howell, George Chokos, Bobbie LeGrand, Sylvia Jo Brogden, Fourth row: Thomas Kimmerlin, Gerald Thweatt, Laddie Owens, Bill Howell, Fifth row: Billie Haddon, Laurie Wadford, Dow Player, Walsh Lucas, Ed Baker. Sixth row: Bobby Phillips, T. C. Smith, Raymond Huggins.

# Publications

## THE SUMTER HIGH NEWS



EDITOR

Pearl Spencer, Editor-in-Chief of Sumter High News, is shown as she reads proof for the paper.



MANAGERS

Here we see Sarah Hudson (left), Business Manager, and Tony Bowman (right), Advertising Manager, checking financial statements.

## SENIOR MEMBERS OF HIGH NEWS STAFF



BUSY SCENE IN THE HIGH NEWS STAFF ROOM

At first table, left to right: Gwenelle Johnson, Jackie Fulmer, Betty Owens, Pearl Spencer, Kathryn Gentry. At second table, left to right: Mildred Craft, Juliette Newton, Nick Millard, Billie Haddon, Betty Ann Hatfield, Sarah Hudson. Standing in rear of room, left to right: Dorothy Fowler, Vernice Weathersbee, Ann Sprott, Frank Martin, Shirley Green. Seated at typewriter: Doris Newman. Standing around bulletin board, left to right: Jack Chandler, Sydney Huskey, Patsy Williams.

The 1947-48 staff of the Sumter High News published, as was customary, fifteen issues of the paper. In order to finance the High News this year a campaign was launched at the beginning of school for 100% subscriptions in all homerooms. At both assembly and homeroom meetings the staff advertised their "wares" so successfully that every student in school paid for a year's subscription, and from that point on, the staff could breathe easy and just write copy. Miss Heery's homeroom was the first to subscribe 100%, and all members were given tickets to a picture show as a reward.

Miss Susie Osteen, literary adviser, and Shirley Green, page editor, attended the South Carolina Scholastic Press Association held in Greenville on April 22 and 23. They came back full of inspiration and new ideas and talk of "a good time had by all."

Sumter High News is a member of the National Scholastic Press Association as well as the S. C. S. P. A. The staff has high hopes that they may be able to attend the national convention another year.

# Publications HI-WAYS 1948



Editor GWENELLE JOHNSON



Manager TONY BOWMAN



TYPISTS

Left to right: Dot Fowler, Blanche Parrott, Doris Newman, Cecile Kolb, Dickie Edwards, Rhidona Reese, Ann Sprott, Sarah Hudson, Betty Ann Hatfield, Catherine D'Ambra. June Bragg was absent when the picture was taken.

#### HI-WAYS 1948

Each year the senior class of Edmunds High School undertakes a project whose success depends upon the industry and cooperation of every member of the class. That project is the publishing of a senior classbook. This year, to raise money for the annual publication, every senior

worked hard selling magazine subscriptions, selling tickets to the Barter Theater play "John Loves Mary," producing a senior play, and presenting the May Festival at which two seniors were crowned king and queen.

The work of selecting the cover, deciding on the theme, making the layouts, taking the pictures, writing copy, and reading proof was done by the staff, under the capable supervision of

Miss Elizabeth Hepburn, faculty adviser.

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Left to right: Sydney Anne Huskey, Margarett Hodge, Mildred Craft, Mildred Foxworth, Patsy Williams, Thelma Proctor.



#### TAKING TURNS

Raking: Gwenelle Johnson. Seated, left to right: Betty Horton, Martha White, Betty Hodge, Standing back of these, left to right: Carolyn Mims, Kathryn Gentry, Sara Ellen Huggins.

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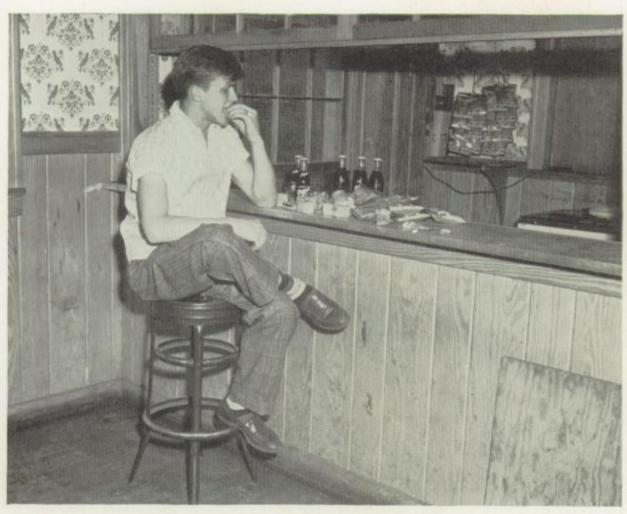


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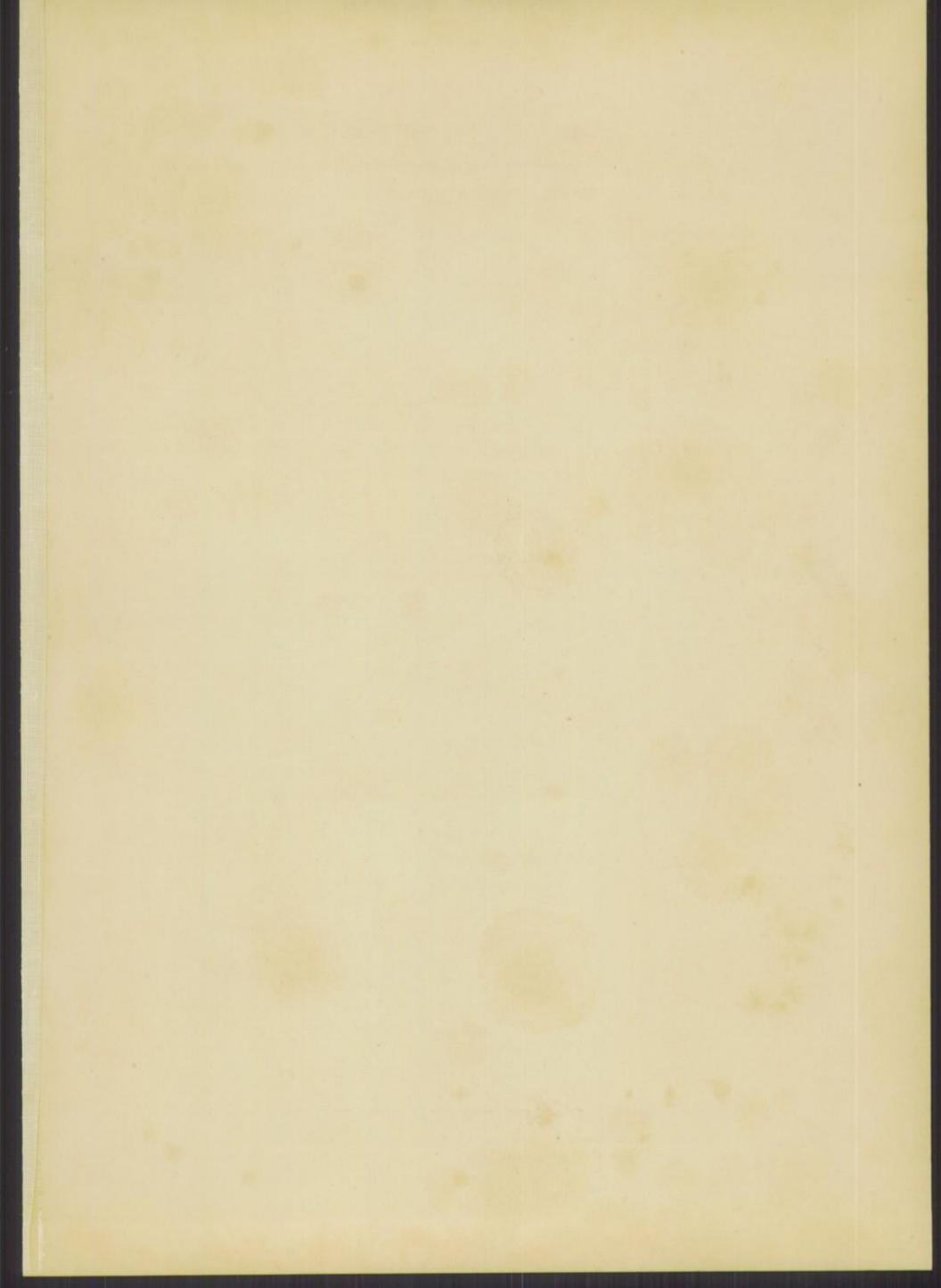




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